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NOUEST OF THE CORONER

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the Iroquois Theatre Fire Horror Began Today.

cial List Places the Number of Dead at Pive Hundred and Sixty-Five--- Two Hundred Witnesses Summoned.

ous officials of the fire and po- Krifting is the sub-contractor of the

epartments are taking part in Fuller Construction Co., who employed

gation. The men were employed by a

Maher and Nagel. The two workmen

Colescum Re-opened.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The order of the

city building department closing the

Collectin along with other theatres

and other public halls in Chicago was

today rescinded. The building depart

ment decided upon further investiga-

tion that the building was entirely

Were Thrown Open sa Though by Hot

Chicago, Jan. 7 Exhibit A" at the

and there socure testimony. Any wit-

coroner's jury was John C. Galvin.

though by a blast of hot air. Looking

into the foyer he saw people running.

toward the entrance. He rushed to

the lobby and endeavored to open the

west door, that being nearest. It was

locked on the inside and he could do

requirements.

ago, Jan. 7. The coroner's in- George Nagel, which took place today. over the remains of the victims is considered important by Coroner Iroquois theatre disaster began Tagger in connection with the investi- that would be required. city council chamber today. ions police reports indicating sub-contractor of the Fuller Construc-98 were deed, are declared now tion Company. According to the noincorrect and due to the shifting lice the men say they shut down the les from one morgue to another, ventilator on the roof of the theatre parations were complete for the over the stage and that examination earthing inquiry tato the causes will show that the skylight frames greatest culamity that Chicago have never been removed. In other ver known. Coroner Treager words the safety vents for a fire on ed over the investigation with the stage were never operated even Attorney Discen and one of his experimentally and every audience into in constant attendance as that ever sat in the Iroquois theatre oroner's legal representative, from the day the theatre was opened he corporation counsel. The has been in faminent danger of attorney, a score of lawyers rossting to death whenever a fire enting private interests and broke out on the stage.

estimated that it will require at were home in bed, when arrested. The ix days for the jury to hear the workmen explained to the police that ony of the 200 or more witness nails were expected to be removed e provisions of the law that the later and the skylight put in proper half view the bodies over which working order, when the theatre was quest is held having aiready placed in the hands of the owners. complied with, Coroner Tracger Both men expressed willingness to apd at once upon the examination pear before the coroner's jury. witnesses to determine the of the Fre and the responsibility

mically the inquest is held over ody of Miss Mary Edna Torney 64 others." Deputy Coroner y knew Miss Torney and aron the scene of the fire s few es after her body had been car safe, and was fully complying with all diseases, who handled the body in the e which was found in her cloth-

of burns and some of concusthe jusy will find that death in inquest probably will be the fatal flood it is and causes resulted from light from which the fire originated. in order to fix the responsibility theatre building today to recover this foreman. great loss of life, State's Attor- lamp which was operated by Edward establish the identity if possi- Attorney Fulkerson decided today to sengers was badly hurt. some person or some persons hold no session in the investigation, led at the end of the passage but instead to be present with g south from the entrance of the stenographer at the coroner's inquest,

re a locked door cut of the es nesses Mr. Fulkerson wishes to quesof hundreds, whose bodies were tion later will be recalled for the sepaagainst the barricaded door, rate inquiry by the city fire departproner has succeeded in gather-ment. The first witness before the idence.

B. K. Strong of Chicago, and painting contractor. He testified that ece Vers Strong, of Americus, in the afternoon of the fire he stepped led at the foot of the stairway, into the vestibule of the Iroquois tory of their death, before the theatre to purchase tickets for the door, has been told to the core-following performance. As he turned jury by James M. Strong, sou to the ticker office, the center doors elder victim. Mr. Strong who of the lobby foyer and the outside enpard of trade clerk, consented to trance doors were thrown open as

TWO MEN

ed Who Will Testify Concerning the Skylight Vents. arrest of William J. Maher and nothing with it.

EW RECORD PRICE

FOR CORSET STUFF.

Y York, Jan. 6.—A new record quarter tons brought that price in a

mark was \$12,000. Experts say the a commissioner to represent Alaska at for whalebone says a Times visible supply is now only four tons the Mt. Louis exposition, has arrived tch from London. Two and one in England and America.

### FERENCE COMMITTER

citing Associations Are Invesating Some of the Season's

Remarkable Records.

York, Jan. 7.—Record breaking mances engaged the attention of the joint conference committhe National Trotting Associand the American Trotting Regissectiation. The record of Lou was taken up, and Thomas B. ase asked for a ruling on wind

d had ball bearing axies and tion of the treaty of 1846.

that she traveled behind a wind phield. He insisted that the record purporting to be made to high wheel sulky by Lou Dillon against Maud S.'s EX-PRESIDENT performance should not stand as Lou Dillon did not perform under the same conditions as did Maud S.

### RESPONSIBILITY FIXED.

Dea Moines, Ia., Jan. 7.-H. Fraxee an electrical worker has been found remonable for the fire at the state capital. He dropped a light near the locality where the blaze was first discovered. He will not be prosecuted.

### GIVEN HIS CONGE.

INSURANCE

COMPANIES

Will Pursue a Liberal Peticy in Settling Policies Due Irequels Theatre Victims.

Chicago, Jan. 7.-Life insurance companies which had policy holders that lost their lives in the Iroquois fire, will pursue a liberal policy in the settlement of the losses. The announcement is made by the managers of the high class companies that there will be no quibbling over technicalitics. Without exception, the managers of the large companies said that any reasonable proof of death and the receipt for the amount of the polls from the beneficiaries would be all

The precedent that will be followed by the substantial companies is the Galveston flood, where no coroner's verdict was required. In this case only reasonable proof of death and identity was demanded. Checks for the amounts of insurance carried by some of the victims have already been given to the benificiaries.

### TRAITER

Were Killed in Collision on Elevated.

gage Co., whose office is Wall street, was closed auddrnly is summer.

It is the assertion of the petitioners that more than \$1.000.00 found its

His Body Broken.

Another Had His Skull Crusted Between the Bumpers-Fin-Caused Paule Among Passengers.

New York, Jan. 7. Three trainmen were killed today by a collision of two trains on the Brooklyn Elevated had invested \$250,000 in the concern

One of the dead was hurled from the structure to the street and nearly every hone in his hody broken while another had his skull crushed between the bumper of the engine which was rammed by a motor train and the front car of one drawn by steam pow-

Bimultaneously with the collision, fire started by the coals from the locomotive, and this added to the panic of the passengers who tought despeployer of the road, were George Gulig, and maries." The jury will Fire Department Attorney Fulkerson O'Brien, aged 34 years, car coupler, aged bo years, yardmaster; James separate verdict for each vic- and two city firemen went to the and Wm. H. Ferguson, aged 40 years,

George E. Smith, age 35 years, was ineen instructed Coroner Trae McMullen, when the fire broke out seriously injured. None of the pra-

### LIQUOR MEN WIN AT START

Bitter Fight for Control of House Temperance Committee Is New Waging.

salgon league and the liquor interests eller. These men are authorities on are fighting for control of the house leprosy, elephantiasis and other tropitemperance committee tooth and nail. cal diseases and have been sent out to First blood has been scored by the the French possessions in the South lights people by getting Reich, of Seas because of the increase in mor-Cleveland, and Wayne, of Cincinnati tality among the natives of late. The selected. The chairmanship is still dectors have been stationed in differon the air. Rev. Baker, national sup- ent parts of Tahiti, and will be given erintendent of the anti-saloon league certain judicial powers in order to conferred with General Dick here last aid them in enforcing such laws as alget, and made peremptory demands they may adopt. for recognition. Baker will have a ward local option bill introduced and EIGHT ARCH-BISHOPS the liquor interests threaten to retailate by putting in a bill to repeal the

ALASKA WILL MAKE

San Francisco, Jan. 7 .- Mrs. Mary E. Hart, secretary of the Alaska Acadof \$15,000 a ton has been estab sale at Dundee. The previous high emy of Sciences and newly appointed here. Alaska will make a fine exhibit according to her statement and with a section of the Academy will give a separate display at the fair.

### LOSES A CHILD

Cleveland Heme Made Sad by the Death of Eldest Daughter, Ruth.

Princeton, N. J., Jan. 7.-Ruth Cleveland, the eldest child of ex-President Grover Cleveland, died at the Cleveland home here today, very unexpectedly, the immediate cause of lor Emery has appointed James D. ture on the second floor where the death being a weakening of the heart Clark, of New York and Charles E. live was practically confined and were action during a mild attack of diph. Kimbai, of Summit, N. J., receiver for almost overcome by the dense smoke. Washington, Jan. 7.-Gen., Rafael theria. Dr. Wyckoff, the attending the International Fire Engine Co., a While they worked inside their com-Bonner presented his written Reycs, the Columbian special envoy, physician said that Miss Cleveland nine million dollar corporation with panions took up the stand across the against the record of Lou Dil- has received the answer of the Wash- had been ill with a mild form of diph- plants in New York, Baltimore, Chi- street in front of the theatre and pouralky to which Lou Dillon was ing the United States with open viola- fection was not anticipated. She was N. Y., and other, places. The liability structure. There were no casualties, 16 years old.

Man Lost His Last Pegay

In the Scheme.

He Received Only Few Dividende,

And Lost Al His Principal in Pallers of a New York Cancern.

Court Tables Touteany is Back rustry Proceedings Austral the Appriors Physics & Mortinge Co.

New York, Jan 7.—In accordance with an order of Judge Helt in the United States district court a referen in bankruptcy has begun taking testi-mony in a suit against persons alleged funct American Pinance and & Mort-

way into the pockets of the company? promoters. The petition was fied against individuals, who are charged with having cone business under the Of corporate name and not against the corporation itself. The defendants ure: Fred R. Goslin, Fernando Baltes president of the corneration, and seven others. Former Judge Jackson, who appeared as committed and he rep-resented Cincinnati Mississia which He expressed the applicon, however, that the defendants were not the real backer of the concorn. The petitioners are Joseph H. Cisien, of Wyoming. Ohio; Edgar R. Mushy and E. W. Spining, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

John F. Richmond, he aged resident of Ohio, testified that he "invested" with the company \$7.285. He received cipal. In behalf of the daughter he Emperic Wes Actuated in This Pally News from Guadalahus Mexico. The most terrorising feature of the said he countriogies with which the factor described the Says.

The Countriogies of the country of the said of the says from College which are fell in the parter of the said for the country of the said of t a few dividends, but that all the prinrately to escape from the wrecked had assured him before he invested cars. The dead, who were all em that there was on hand a surplus of a million or more dollars.

### WILL FIGHT

DISEASES

Of the Tropics-French Medical Experts Sail for Tabiti to

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 7.-Three

French medical experts in the service of the French government, departed on the steamr Mariposa for Tahiti, where they will endeavor to check the ravages of disease among the natives. The medical experts include Dr. H. Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—The anti- Louvan, Dr. W. Cassian and Dr. Gros-

WILL VISIT VATICAN.

New York, Jan. 7 .- Following statements that meetings would be held plans were to be discussed for the establishment of an American primate. fourteen arch-bishops in the United States have planned a trip to Rome. They will discuss at the Vatican the

creation of a primate in America and the abolishing of the apostolic delegation to the United States because it is now expected that the meeting at FIREMEN Washington will not be able to fix upon a definite decision. . .

### ACCIDENTALLY SHOT HIMSELF.

Saranac Lake N. Y., Jan. 7.-Carl Gordon, a brother in law of Dan R. Hanna, of Cleveland, O., accidentally shot and killed himself here last night.

FIRE ENGINE TRUST

### DISCOURAGE

Trade Conditions in Cage Colony Are Red for These New Coming In.

derson, the British consul general, gave out the following today:

"information has been received to the effect that the government of Cana Colony desires, owing to the present condition of trade in the colony and throughout South Africa to discourage the further immigration of persons without ample means or prospect of mmediate employment.

Numbers of skilled artisans and others have been thrown out of work, and fresh arrivals accentuate the po-

PENITENTIARY BOARD WILL REORGANIZE

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.-It developes as a result of General Dick's visit here ful settlement of the matters in the yesterday that the penitentiary board disputs. Japan has taken the reply of managers will be reorganized in May, George Hay, of Coshecton, that Russia's protestations are honest member of the brard, is suxious to re- and that there is a chance for peace, tire and there may be other changes. Warden Herakey is sisted to hold the same time, the ministry is unover under Herrick. Much improve qualifiedly opposed to a long delay. ment in the institution is piguned.

# COLOR

German Arny Uniterns.

To Be Changed

Blead of Straw Color and Green

Will Be Substituted for Dark Blue, Beretelore Prevaller.

Uniforms.

Berlin, Jan. 7 .- Since Emperor Willian saw Generals Corbin, Young and Wood in their new uniforms at the German Army maneuvers in Septemocr. 1982, the army clothmakers of with similar shades and have produced the 8 year old boy killed in the wreck pitals here are progressing favorably this country have been experimenting with similar shades and have produced the 8 year old boy killed in the wreck and it is believed that none will die.

The coroner's jury today continued olive green which will presently be Island, and Pacific express at Willard the investigation into the cause of the substituted for dark blue, the color of the army and the uniforms of privates and non-commissioned officers.

The cloth has been tested for a year, under service conditions, for wear and cleanliness it was found in the last summer maneuvers that the new uniforms are scarcely distinguish- O. R. R. near Laurel Run, Pa., on the able at a distance from dry stubble or night of December 23, last, closed last grass. It will be three or four years night, and after hours of deliberation before the present uniforms entirely the jury rendered a verdict that the disappear, as the government has up- wreck was unavoidable. wards of three million old uniforms in stock, though the greater part of these have seen service.

The German government is the argest ready made clothes manufacturer in the world, turning out 600,000 to 800,000 uniforms per year, the exact number depending on the weather.

HOUSE IN SESSION

JUST TWELVE MINUTES.

Washington, Jan. 7 .- The house was January 21, in Washington, at which in session but twelve minutes today. Mr. Heleaway, chairman of the committee of appropriations obtained unit is now reported that eight of the animous consent that one hour be devoted at the opening of tomorrow's session to the consideration of a bill amending the act appropriating \$500. 000 for the cradication of foot and mouth disease among cattle.

### WERE CALLED

To Fight Plames in Iroqueis Club Across the Street From the Ruined Theatre.

Chicago, Jan. 7.-Almost directly across the street from the iroquois theatre, firemen were called today to IN HANDS OF RECEIVER. fight a fire in what is known as the Iroquois Lunch club, a noon day rest Trenton, N. J., Jan. 7.-It was an for women. Firemen crawled through nounced here today that Vice Chancel- the windows of the four story structies are \$847,274 and assets \$95,250. The loss is under \$50,800.

## URAGE INMIGRATION. JAPANESE ARE SILENT

New York. Jan. 7.—Sir Percy San. Concerning Terms of Reply Except That They Are Unsatisfactory.

> Unless Convinced That Russia's Protestations Are Honest She Will not Continue Negotiations. Russia Looking for Outlet.

> question of Corea. He says that the go to Seoul on foot. cation expresses a desire for a peaceunder consideration, and if convinced she will continue the negotiations. At It is becoming apparent that Japan would resent any intervention upon the part of any of the outside powers Patrie from Constantinople says Rusin the extremity of a crisis. It is sia is negotiating with Turkey to perthought possible here that the United mit her Black Sea fleet, said to con-States might intervene. Such inter- sist of seventy-six ships, to pass wention, the Japanese say, would be through the straits of Dardenells. unjust and only create delay which would be advantageous to Russia.

Can't See How Japan Could Refuse to

by the Japanese legation. The Japan- begun marching overland.

Tokio, Jan. 7.-The government is ese minister, Baren Hayamhi says he silent concerning the terms of the fails to see how the Japanese railroad Russian rejoinder. A high authority could refuse to transport Russian here, however, says that the reply is troops from Chemulpho to Seoul, as manticlactory to Japan, and especial- reported, nor what object would be ly in its festures bearing upon the gained, for the Russians could easily

PRICE THREE CENTS.

Contols Advance.

London , Jan. 7-Consols today touched 88 13-16 another low water mark. The Rothschilds say this appears to be entirely due to apprehension of war between Russia and Japan. At their annual meeting, all banks are announcing that they have written down their holdings of consuls to 85.

Figuring With Turkey.

Paris, Jan. 7.-A despatch to the

Marching Overland.

Washington, Jan. 7.—United States Minister Allen, at Seoul, Cores, has cabled the state department under today's date, that the Russian marines who were landed at Chemulpo and London, Jan. 7.—No further news who were refused transportation to from the far east has been received Seoul over the Japanese rallway, have

### BRUPTIONS OF MOUNT COLUMN ATARMING

Chicago, Jan. 7.-A special to the sought safety from the ashes and lave.

volcano have starmed the inhabitants volcaro.

of the adjacent country. Many of the The seleamic disturbances are of un-

people have left their homes and usual severity but no lives were lost.

### BODY OF BOY UNIDENTIFIED.

Topeka, Kans., Jan. 7.—The body of morgue here. The injured at the hosyesterday, is still unidentified at the wreck.

WRECK UNAVOIDABLE.

Connellsville, Pa., Jan. 7 .- The investigation of the wreck of the Duquesne Limited Express on the B. &

SUBSTANTIAL GAINS IN COKE PRODUCTION.

Scottdale, Pa., Jan. 7.—The long expected turn in the tide of coke proand the indications now are that each succeeding week will snow substantial gains in production and shipments. The production last week is estimated at 95,000 tons an increase of 19,722 tons over the week previous, while the shipments show a gain of over 25,-

### CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE

Of Cities Will Not Go to Either Cleveland, Cincinnati or Columbus.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.-Though no

will be chairman of the new house forty-three men had been killed. committee on cities it is admitted it will not go either to Cleveland, Cincin- HARD FIGHT nati or Columbus. This makes impossible that either Jones, of Toledo, or McDonald of Dayton, the ranking members of their delegations, may be Kiefer, the Veteran Republican, chosen. The committee on cities now have charge of all legislation affecting those centers so designated by the code. Smaller municipalities will be under the care of the new committee

### GIVEN WARM RECEPTION.

dent of the society of Christian En-

### LIFE TENURE FOR HIS RANK.

Bill to Reorganize Governor's Staff Is Proving a Puzzler to Lawyers.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7 .- The Shellenberger bill to reorganize the governnor's staff is a puzzle to the state legal department and it may be amouded Monday morning. Attorney General Sheets holds that the bill provides duction seems to have been reached, tonly a two year term of office for the assistant quartermaster general and cannot therefore carry a life tenure for his rank as colonel of the national guard. The point is a close one and he is disagreed with by eminent local legal authority who claim that once a colonel always a colonel until removed

> FIRST REPORTS OF LIFE LOSS EXAGGERATED.

Sydney, N. S., Jan. 7.-It developed today that the loss of life on board the British cruiser Wallarou by the explosion of one of her bollers, was not so great as at first reported. The number of men killed and injured tontimation has been offered as to who tal forty-thres. The first reports said

FOR OFFICE.

Has Revived His Boom for Congress.

Columbus, Jan. 7 .- Warren Keifer, veteran republican leader of Springfield, has revived his boom for the congressional nomination in the seventh district. Other candidates have with-Honoiulu, Jan. 7.-F. E. Clark, presidrawn until the fight is over between Kelfer and the present incumdeavor has arrived here on the steam- bent. Congressman Tom Kyle, of Claveland. He contended that ington government to his note charge therin for four days, and the heart af cago, Cleveland, St. Paul and Elmira, ed streams of water into the burning er Sierra, on his tour of the world. He Troy. Kelfer and an interview with was given a warm reception at the Dick and seemed pleased later. He speaks confidently of his chances.

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## IRON

And Steel Trade Is Bad.

### Some Cutting

In Prices Is Reported Current.

for Steel Rails-Others Cut Estimates.

In East and West Iron Bases Have Not Gained in Strength, But Many Inquiries Are Being Recerded.

New York, Jan. 7 .- While some improvement is noted in the foundry piz iron markets according to the Iron Age, disquieting reports come from the steel rail and finished material trades. Reports of cutting are again current in structu. I materials while complains have been made of price irregularities in the steel plate trade. A disposition to shade prices in northern plg iron also is noted as one of the events of the week. Concerning the steel rail trade, the Iron Age says: Disquieting reports come from the

steel rail trade, which must, however, lose a good deal of their force when the iron indications are more carefully examined. It is stated that some of the railroads have recently cancelled orders placed for this year, that others have cut down their estimates and have notified the mills of postponement of deliveries, and that earlier inquiries have shrunken much seriously. The buyers know that the steel capacity is much greater now than it was a year ago, the pressure for steel for the manufacture of billets is less, and therefore, in all probability, there will be little trouble at so many writs out ag'in him for debt any time during 1904 in securing fair all the week and only comes out on deliveries. There is little incentive, therefore to get orders Prices are maually guaranteed against a decline, try underwent a change. but this applies only to the actual time of shipment.

When rails are delivered, the contract price holds. In finished iron and steel generally, consumers are mainly taking a waiting attitude. Some actors in such uncanny mummery. If irregularities in the plate trade. In the east and in the west, iron bases specified time the young woman whose better volume of inquiries is reported immediately put to death. Thus the developing in an encouraging manner, the crops saved and health restored. There has been increased interest in the foundry pig iron markets, and some disposition on the part of northern producers to shade prices

IN SED FOUR WEEKS WITH GRIP. "I was in hed four weeks with la grippe and I tried many remedies and spent considerable for treatment. cine cured me, and I now use it ex- ly a ton. clusively in my family." Honey and Tar has long been a household favorite for all throat and lung troubles. Refuse substitutes. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main street.

Rose Boscomb, Detroit: "I paid out all I could earn trying to cure the to be contrary and not because she eruptions on my face. All failed exthought it for a moment.—Household cept Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tes. Ledger. Now have rosy cheeks, skin soft and fair." 35 cents.

For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

### Box and Its Meanings,

The word "box" has a great many | ran across the grass in the park, and"different meanings. Here are some of its uses as a noun substantive: First a case of any size or material, akin to pyr, from pyrus, the box tree; second, the driver's seat on a carriage, which offen has a lid covering a receptacle for small parcels; third, a present, especially a gift at Christmas time; fourth, inclosed sexts in a theater or in a court of justice: fifth, a box drain; mixth, a saug private house, as a shooting box: seventh, a cylindrical bollow iron in wheels, in which the axle runs: : eighth, a trough for cutting miters in carpentry: ninth, the space between the backboard and sternpost of a boat; tenth, an awkward position-e. g., "in the wrong box;" eleventh, the box tree: twelfth, the box iron of a laundress. Hox is used also as a verb (thir-thing that ever was made is Dr. King's teenth), to fight with fists or gloves; New Life Pills. These pills change fourteenth, to go over the points of the compass in order, describing its divi- into energy, brain-fag into mental s; fifteenth, to strike with open sand upon the car; sixteenth, to cause up the health. Only 26 conts per box. a vessel to turn on her leel, to box Sold by H. F Vortkamp, corner North hand. Other uses also are consequent, and Main streets.

The many friends of G. H. Hanson. Engineer, L. E. & W. railroad, at present living in Lima, O., will be pleased which I recommend to all, especially micted." For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.



Sickness steals more savings than the burgiar. Slowly, coin by coin, the money that has been so hardly earned is paid out for drugs and doctors. Sickness is the worst enemy of the working man, and the common cause of the working man's sickness is disease of the Few Roads Canceling Orders stomach often involving the heart, lungs,

liver, or kidneys. the sayings by sickness. It cures discases of the stamach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. It cures disses of heart, liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., when these diseases are caused by the diseased condition of the stomach and

its allied organs.

"About ten years ago I began to hace trouble with my stomach," writes Wim Councily, of 535 Wainst Street. Lorain, Ohio. "If got to had I had to hay off quite often two and three cars in a week, my stomach would bloat, and I would beith up gas, and was in awful distress at such times. I have employed and been treated by the best doctors in the city but got no help whatever. By some way or other I happened to get hold of a vial of your 'Pellets,' and I thought they helped me. It was then I wrote to you for advice. You told me that by my symptoms you thought I had fiver complaint, and advised the age of your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Picasan Pellets' in connection. These wedicincs I have taken as directed, and an very happy to state that I commenced to get better from the start and have not lost a day this summer on account of my stomach. After they help top, and better than I have nor ten years."

Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." Nothing else is "just"

ical Discovery." Nothing else is "just | idea of her reason for refusing to live as good."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate him that she refused.

#### "Sunday Folks."

When Dr. John Cairns went from Scotland to Ireland for rest and travel tha was busy among her flower beds. in 1864 he was at once delighted by discovering from the guides who when the little gate clicked behind him. showed him about that most of the landed gentry were "Sunday folks."

"That's a fine castle," he would say, pointing to a big house set like a crown on some rothy hill.

"Yis, sorr," said his guide. ""Tis Sir lately. All this must not be taken too John O'Copnor's," or, "'Tis Sir Rory anality. O'More's " He always added, "He's a Sundab mon." At last Dr. Cairns grew curious.

'What is a Sunday man?' he asked. "Well, sorr, it do be a mon that Las

that he stays shut up tight in his house Sundah, when the law protects him." Dr. Cairns' opinion of the landed gen-

All Hindoos believe in witchcraft, and, in strange contrast to the clû believers in witchery, they believe that young and pretty maidens are the chief tonnage has been placed in structural; crops are blighted or if a general sickmaterial, but there are reports that ness prevails they write the names of some low prices are being made in all the young women of the vicinity fahricated material and on contract on separate tree branches and then imfor finished structures. There have merse the stems of the twigs for four been complaints, too, of occassional hours and a half in a solution of holy water and aromatic herbs. If one or more of the twigs wither during the have not gained in strength, but a name or names are attached thereto is in sheets. An export trade in bars 13 influence of the witch is counteracted,

How Heavy a Brick May Be. Some years ago one man bet another that he could not move an ordinary brick tied to the end of a cord two or three miles long. A straight and level road just outside Chichester, N. Y., We have received the following let- was selected for the trial. The brick ter from Mr. Roy Kemp, of Angola, was not moved, and the man lost his bet for a large amount. It was stated by some one present that the brick, alwith physicians, but I received no re though weighing only seven pounds, llef until I tried Feley's Honey and would from a distance of two or three Tar. Two small bottles of this medi-, miles represent a dead weight of near-

### His Test of Greatness.

"Ah," she sighed, "the great men are all dead." "But the beautiful women are not."

he answered. Then she looked soulfully up into his eyes and told him she had said at just don't believe in living in the same

### Faithful to the Law.

"Why did you let him get away from you?" thundered the chief. "He-er-took a mean advantage of me," replied the green detective. "He It's too noisy."

Off the Grass."-Philadelphia Press.

Erskine, appointed lord chancellor, was offered at a low price the official can let me know, otherwise I'll not ask robes of the retiring lord, but said: you again." "No. It should not be said that I had adopted the abandoned habits of my likely to change my mind," she said. predecessor."

"De man dat kin profit by good ad- | never do that." vice," says Uncle Eben. "has to be about fo' times as small as de man again, but Phillip, to the astonishment dat gives it."-Washington Star.

### Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightlest little weakness into atrength, listlessness power. They're wonderful in building | much neither."

### BANK BURNED OUT.

Augusta, Me. Jan. 7 .- Two large to know of his recovery from threaten. brick blocks, occupied by the Augusta ed kidney disease. He says, 'I was Savings bank and several atores, were cared by using Foley's Kidney Cure. burned here today, and several other; the now," they said to one another, trainmen who are usually similarly buildings were damaged. The loss is estimated at \$200,000.

### BY THE HAND OF A CHILD

By HARRIET G. CANFIELD

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* "Martha Raymond ain't changed

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none since she was twenty, 'cept to get redder headed," the village dressmaker said to Deacon Lindsley's wife. "I don't know," Mrs. Limister re-

plied. "Seems to me she's more inde-

pendent than ever since her pa and ma "Think so? Well, she's still on the sunny side of thirty-five and got more The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Med- taste than any young girl in town. She ical Discovery will stop the stealing of never wears red next to her hair-always black or white or green. I tell vou an artist don't understand colors

> \*pring." "I guess not. It's usually a little

Gardner's proposed to her yet this:

with his mother. It was enough for

This year it was later than usual. Mrs. Lindsley had finished house cleaning when he climbed the steep hill road that led to the old Raymond homestead. It was early in the evening, and Mar-She looked up with a conscious smile "Good evening, Phil." she said, "Did

you come to get some violets?" "No." he replied bluntly. "I came to get you. Can't I. Martha?"

"Not if I must live with your mother. Phil," she said, with an air of To ber surprise, he did not, as before,

turn dejectedly away. There was a determined look in his eyes before which she trembled. "I—I must go in," she said.

rou have against my mother." And he deliberately barred ber way.

"Not until you've mentioned what



"AUNTIE'S GLAD YOU PUT THE PREITY
"B'U F'OWER' IN HER HAIR."

"She's as still as death. I like to sing and laugh and make a cheerful clatter, but your mother's house is as silent as a tomb. You can hear a pin drop there any time "

Phihp heaved a great sigh of relief. "Mother wouldn't object to your clatter." he said smilingly. "Is that all?" "All? Isn't that enough? Besides, I house with my mother-in-law!"

Philip's face clouded. "I can't turn my mother out even to please you, Martha." he said.

"No one wants you to turn her out, I'm sure. But I don't see why she can't live in the city with your brother." "Mother can't sleep when she's there,

"That's it. I should have to keen still all the time, and I'd set my heart on "Well, there was a sign there. 'Keep having a canary and a piano and one of those talking machines when I was

married." Philip smiled sadly. "If you change your mind about mother," he said, "you

Martha laughed scornfully, "I'm not "When I do you'll see me wearing red flowers in my bair, and you know I'll

A year went by, and spring came of the entire village, did not "go courtexclaimed over the fact when she was zewing for Mrs. Lindsley:

"I declare," she said, "I believe Martha kind of misses it. When I was sew-

"Serves her right for givin' Philip the mitten so often. I heard Widow Ramsey's son had been goin' there some," "Yes, but she wouldn't give no en-

couragement, for she said he wasn't good to his mother. She says a man that ain't considerate of his mother won't be considerate of his wife." Another spring came, and every eye was on Phillip. "He will go to see Mar-

but Philip did not climb the hill read.

in Martha's bair.

He had looked in vain for red flowers

June Martha Raymond ant on the broad doorstep waiting for the "first bell" to ring for the "first bell" bell" to ring for church. Her brother and his wife and little daughter were visiting her. Buth was to accompany her to church. The child was playing in the old factioned garden where tart spurs and roses ran wild. Murtha called her, and she came running up with her hands full of blossoms.

"Patty flowers," she said, "Rufe put some in Aunt Marfa's bair." And she climbed up on the broad stone and peeped roguishiy into Martha's face. "Only the blue dowers, dearie-the larkspurs. Auntie doeşn't wear red in

her hair. "Yeth," lisped the sweet baby voice. pitty b'u fowers in auntie's hair." And she tucked a crimson rambler among the soft red coils. Then she slipped her little hand into Martha's,

and they went to church together.

Philip and his mother sat directly behind them. The old lady looked inquiringly at the little child, but Philbetter'n Martha does. I wonder if Phil ip's eyes sought Martha's hair, just as they had done in vain for two long years. He half rose from his seat, for there was the blessed red signal at last. He rubbed his eyes and looked again, and when the minister read. "What went ye out to see?" he murmured, "A red flower, of course," His mother laid a reproving hand on his arm. "Hush?" she whispered, just as

> restiess roungster beside her. Early that afternoon he climbed the hill road. Martha's brother answered his knock. She was in the garden with little Ruth, he said. He found them there among the foses and tarkspurs.

"Martha," he cried, hurrying down the gravel path, "how can I thank you,

"Thank me," she said tremulously, "for what, Philip?" "For wearing this." And he took the

withered red rose from her hair. Her eyes opened wide with surprise. "I didn't know it was there," she fal-

tered. "I guess Ruth did it."

"Yeth," the baby lisped. "I dess I did-pitty b'u f'ower." Philip's face fell. "So it's all a mis-

take," he said sadiv. But Martha put her arms around her little piece and beid her close.

"Tell him," she said, "that auntie's glad you put the pretty 'b'u fower' in her balr."

Seeing 51x Generations.

A generation is admitted to occupy on an average a space of thirty-three years. Horace Walpole relates the following amusing instance of seeing six generations: "I was ten when I was presented to George I. two nights before he left England for the last time. This makes me appear very old to myself and Methuselah to young persons if I happen to mention it before them. If I see another reign, which is but too probable, what shall I seem then? I will tell you an odd circumstance. Nearly ten years ago I had already seen six generations in one family, that of Waldegrave. I have often seen and once been in a room with Mrs. Godfrey, mistress of James II. It is true she doted. Then came her daughter, the old Lady Waldegrave; her son, the ambassador; his daughter, the Lady Harriet; her daughter, the present Lady Powis, and she has children who may be married in five or six years, And yet I shall not be very old if I see two generations more, but if I do I shall be superannuated, for I think I talk already like an old nurse."

The Battle of the Nile. out in vain auest of the French, with no one to furnish a clew as to their sea forces at Naples, was in his wife's the case to the second up to the moroom when her maid was putting the ment the suspect had entered the jewfinishing touches to her ladyship's elry store. dress. The maid drove the point of a pin into her mistress and apologized. Some one had at that moment handed the maid a letter from her brother, a French sailor, from whom she had not beard for some time, and its receipt had startled her. Sir John Acton, foreseeing possibilities, offered to read the letter while the mald continued her attentions to her mistress. The moment be had read it he dashed off to find Nelson. The letter gave all the information as to the whereabouts and intentions of the French. Upon this Nelson acted, and the battle of the Nile resulted from that pin prick.

### Sugar as a Stimulant.

One of the numerous physical culture teachers departs from the faith of trainers in advising his pupils to eat all the sugar they can get. Either in taking off flesh or in putting on flesh his advice is to make sugar in some form or other a liberal part of the daily diet.

"Sugar is a very powerful stimulant and a great producer of nerve force," he said. "I spent two winters in the Klondike, where the miners ent enormous quantities of sugar and molasses. They even sweeten salt pork with it. Men who simply sonk themselves in sweets do twice the work of men who let ancar alone. Swiss mountaineers always carry a liberal supply of sugar in' Martha Raymond." The dressmaker in their kills Negroes in the harvest fields grow fat on sugar cane,

"In hot or cold climates a liberal diet of sugar will put a man in the finest possible condition. Whatever bad efin' for her last week she seemed dread. feets "ugar may have at first are soon ful quiet like. I noticed she kidn't sing remedied by exercise. It has been a fad for two or three years to how! against the use of augar, but there is no sound physicogical reason for it."

> Not What She Meant. Physician (to patient's wife)-Why dld you delay sending for me until your husband was unconscious? Wife-Woll, doctor, as long as he re-

> tained his senses he wouldn't let us send for you. You have a good many faults of your

faults of others?

own. Why are you so hard on the

# OF THE RICH

[Original.] Several young men were sitting in the case of a city cinb.

ery, "the laws are made for the rich, to that effect, and a similar rule rule til It is the poor who are ground to pieces under them." "You say that, Gregory, you a multi-

millionaire!" cried Townsend. "Yes, I say it. Observe the poor dev-

ils who come up daily in a morning police court. How quickly they are sent to the various jails, usually on suspicion! I'll bet any man in this party \$10 that I can put on a ragged suit and get myself arrested within two hours, and yet I will transgress no bcog a an ilsaym synded lity I will behave myself as a good citizen." "I'll take that bet," said Townsend.

"As soon as I can get the rags."

An hour later a man ir tatters, followed at a distance by several young fellows in immaculate costumes, entered a store and desired to be shown some portieres and window hangings.

Reinctantly the floorwalker bimself took the customer to the curtain counter and remained there while he looked over the goods, purchasing \$500 worth and producing bank notes with which she had whispered years ago to the to pay.

"Where will you have them sent?", In a theater recently a man down in asked the merchant, aghast.

"Clinton Gregory, 225 -th avenue." When Gregory left the store he was followed by a detective. Passing the selected the most expensive box for the evening's performance.

"For whom do you want it?" asked the clerk.

"Myself." "Yourself?"

"Yes. Don't you understand Eng-

lish?" "You get out of this mighty quick or ron'll get fired."

Since Gregory was not to transgress any law he departed. As he left the opera house the detective who had shadowed him and heard the conversation went out a short distance behind him. Passing down the street, Gregory from time to time took off his hat poiltely to several ladies who rolled by in their carriages. Those who noticed him stared at him and were thankful that they were not further exposed to his attentions by being on foot. Happening to come up to a lady just as she was alighting to enter a store, he lifted his hat and offered to hand her from A policeman was called, but Gregory had departed.

Turning into the principal jewelry store in the city, he pulled a solitaire diamond ring from his vest pocket and, handing it to a clerk, asked its value. "We know nothing of the value of

paste or crystals," said the clerk, turning away. Will you kindly examine this one? think it's a genuine diamond."

The clerk took the ring, scrutinized it, looked suspiciously at the man in rags, wedged a glass in his eye, which he turned on the stone, then looked se-

riously at its owner. "How did you come by this?" he "I bought it."

"H'm. Bought it in this store?"

"No; a year ago in London." "Wait." Calling for one of the firm, the clerk whispered to him that it would be well But for a pin prick there would have to examine the stock of diamond rings palatable," argued the novelist. been no buttle of the Nile. At one to learn if any of them had been stolen. No deficit was discovered, and Gregory was permitted to depart in charge of a historian. detective. There were now two dewhereabouts. Next minute the secret tectives on his track, and they soon was out-in a lady's bondoir. Sir John discovered that they were watching the Acton, commander in chief of land and same man. The first gave a history of would dry on the shelves."

"Shall we take him in?" asked the

"Better wait. We've got him sure. He'll give us more evidence of the same kind. May as well have it all." Gregory turned into a minor street and entered a pawnshop.

"What will you loan me on this scarf pin?" he asked, producing a pin set with a ruby as big as a pea. The broker examined it.

"Vat I gif you? I gif you ten dol-

"Why, the stone is worth fifty times thet.' "Yes, my frient, but I don't ask no

auestions.' "Ask all the questions you like. The stone is mine, and I came by it honestly"

ing at the door, advanced. "Corre, my man, we want you." And Gregory was led off to a police station. where the following charges were en-

First.--Having in his possession large iums of stolen money, Second.-Purchasing goods with mony supposed to be counterfeit.

Third.--Insulting ladies on the street. Fourth.-Attempting to pawn stelen iewelty.

to a cell when several young men in respectable costumes advanced and explained matters, whereupon the suspect pany. Gregory got himself into evenat the club.

"You see, gentlemen," said the winsuspicion. In other words, as a poor terr. man I would not have the same privileges under the law that I would have as a rich man," "It does seem to work that way at

times," remarked the loser. EMERY STRONG TORBERT.

MANY ROBBINS BURNED.

Philadelphia, Pa. Jan. 7 .- The five story building occupied by James H.

Dillington and Co., manufacturers of bobbins and abuttles, was almost completely destroyed by fire today. Loss \$50,000, partly insured.

Health Buits.

One of Queen Victoria's health rules is said to have been. "Do whatever you "I tell you, gentlemen," said Greg- like, but do it in moderation," or words be adopted with still greater profit by the men and women of the preseat day. The people of Queen Victoria's generation had not made a fad of health, and every newspaper they picked up did bot warry them with conflicting bygienic rules. The no preakfast fiend, If he existed was less prominent than at present, and those who thought that breaks up a Cold, cures a the first ought to be the best meal of the first ought to be the best ment of the day did not publish their views Cough, allays Fever, quiets from every roof top, figuratively speaking. Vegetarians and meat caters wrangled only in inconspicuous corners, and the devotees of the cold bath were content with fewer victims. Today, when all these and a million other so called health rules are being dinned into the ears of a long suffering public on all sides, it is more than ever important to be. " in mind that inclinations and disinclinations were not arbitrarily implanted by nature in animal organisms; that they exist for our guidance and

#### A Man and a Hatpin.

Tribune.

not solely to mislead us. - New York

one of the front rows spied on the floor a large hatpin with an amber top. Cooking about him, he saw that two remedy, at women and their escorts had just sat opera house, he went to the office and down. To one of the former he presented the nin. A shake of the head Indicated that he had made a mistake. PEPSH SYRUP COMPANY. Then he tried across the aisle. The wotuen seemed to be interested. The pin was a curiosity and its amber of a unique carving. They hesitated, but the pin was handed back. Desperately he began the search now. Two ladies unattended seemed likely owners. To them he showed the pin. They took it and enjoyed its pattern. Just then the man felt a tug on his sleeve. It was his wife, and she remarked, "Why are you showing my hatpin to strangers?" He blushed, went over to the feminine pair and explained. "It's my wife's hatpin." he said, but in such consciously guity accents that the women handed it back with doubting smiles.

#### The Coup de Monserrat,

The fatal issue of a recent French duel causes discussion of what the Pa-1 without coming to me; go to some risian fencers call the "coup de Monserrat." The history of this stroke is roher carriage. She brushed past him mantic. The hero of the story was a and reported the matter in the store. young Parislan musician engaged to be married to a young lady of Bordeaux. Quarreling with a cousin of his flancee, came before the public had to be adhe got his ears boxed at the Bordcaux vanced by some one? club. Ignorant of fencing, he dared not resent the insult and renounced his! Lid you ever stop to think that engagement. But he also took fencing any meritorious enterprise should lessons from one Monserrat, a maitre d'armes of Toulouse. Monserrat taught him one trick only, and he practiced it an economical basis to the most prefor a year. At the end of that time he returned to the Bordeaux club, slapped , fitable conclusion? his man's face and, being called out, instantly ran his opponent through the body with his cumping lunge.

### The Pill and the Conting.

Joseph Savador, the French historian, and Jules Sandenu, a novelist, able enterprise. made their meeting at a public reception the occasion for a dispute as to the respective places which they occupied pays you better than 6 per cent, if in the world of letters.

it needs the sugar contang to make it nothing to investigate. "Ah, but it is the ingredient which

cures, not the coaung."

"Then let us divide honors," said Sandeau, "for if it were not for my . You find what other land is world sugar coating your historical facts in that particular vicinity, and you

Man's Essay on Pope. From Armstrong's "Teaching of Scientific Method" we extract the follow- So we have the estimates and oring: "If the proper study of man (sic) be man-as the highest dignitary of our church some time ago asserted," government authorities as our areasetc. This is not simply due to a natu- terts.

ral confusion between A. Pope and the pope. If comes of a poet's having two Christian names, including one for his and legal authority, it so desired surname, so that the student of the "Dictionary of Familiar Quotations" is him as Pope, Alexander -- Punch.

#### Wise Pa. Johnny-Pa. what is tact?

Wise Pa-Tact, Johnny, is knowing how to do things without appearing to the United Ginseng be doing them. For instance, I asked Mr. Aridman to dinner this evening, and incidentally I remarked that your mother would entertain us on the pi-The two detectives, who were standano. Mr. Aridman said he was so sorry he couldn't come. - Boston Tran-

#### Management. "I don't see, Elia, how you manage

with your housekeeping money. If I give you a lot, you spend a lot, but if I don't give you so much you seem to get along with it." "Why, that's perfectly simple, Ru-

dolph. When you give me a lot I use Both Phones 381, 214-215 Opera it to pay the debts I get into when you The prisoner was about to be led off don't give me so much."

### An Official Mystery.

Years ago, when Lord Anglesey was was permitted to depart in their com- lord lieutenant of Ireland, he said once of the Irish secretary of that day, "Mr. ing dress, and the party dined together. Stanley and I do very well together as companions, but we differ so totally about Ireland that I never mention the Prompt Deliveries Made. ner, "the poor man has not only his subject to him." Just how they transpoverty to contend with, but constant acted official business remains a mys

#### Resemblances. "Everybody says the baby looks like you. Doesn't that please you?"

"I don't know," replied Popley, "but I tell you what-I'm glad nobody thinks of mying i look like the baby."-Philadelphia Public Ledger.

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Rhoda Lugibihl to Go bina as Missionary of Christian Faith.

spects to Church Coal Big. Items of Interest to South Siders.

out a year and a half ago.

To Go To China. following from the Bluffton

of Broadway may not be generally known, but

Rhoda Lugibibl daughter of B gibihi, of upper Main street in to give the people of this city emmunity an opportunity to lend ing hand in sending Miss Lugi o the foreign field, an offering iken expressly for this burnose y afternoon amounting to nearly undred dollars. This is clear in this woman and speaks in ge that cannot be misunder-

Her life in this city has been influence for good and it is

foreign field."

infant chiki of Mr and Mrs W and James E Keiley, of Lamoin, la in of Tanner avenue, were in Woodlawn cemetery. one only lived nine bours

Diphtheria Reported. reported that there are three of diphtheria at the home of Mr. rs Wm Hodde, of Holly street s Baine, Miss Lydia Hall and

h throat trouble More Petty Thieving. terday, a pair of pants was stol-

m in front of the Baumgardner

janutor at the south side Church ist reports the theft of coal and [ c light bulbs from the basement i

church. He says there have everal things missing from that ng lately and has laid the mat fore the police to investigate Local Briefs.

Maud Cochinn, who has been ad family, on McPheron avenue

Susan Miller, of south Jackson and wife, of Montpeller

members of Court Lima No. 569, ers, are requested to be at the ig tonight at their hall, at 7 30 Carrie Sleber, has returned from Cleveland, where she atl business college.

Bernice.

George Tracewell and children, ith Central avenue, arrived toom Chicago, where she has been g a sister, Mrs. Emma Morris. l Coleman and daughter Grace, Johns, O, are visiting his broth-

letz o Hillsdale, Mich.

OIL MARKET. House oil ...... 1.30 as all the redeemed ought to greet one 8et oil ..... 130 another?" "Don't bother me with such

### No Gripe, Páln

Or discontert, no irritation of the in-testines—but gentle, prompt, thorough healthful cleansing, when you take

"Dare Devil Dorothy," the latest English melodramatic musical comedy wan and watery sunshine strained Faurot opera house. The story of the i in the south parlor, where I knew I play is not a complicated one, the should find Myrtilla. musical theme is simple but beauties Reb a Preacher and Pay taken advantage of all these facts to put before the American theatre-Minerva Clark, of west Kibby new in the way of a theatrical per- of the Grantley girl. brought the sad news that her formance for one must confess that harles Clark, had the misfortune most of the average attractions have e an eye, Tuesday, by a piece become somewhat stale and weary. oped brass entering it, and des- This play with its novel title, 'Dare into tweeds and set forth upon a the sight. Mr. Clark and fam- Devil Dorothy, has been beautifully week's journey Coming home from and he learned the machinists organized and mounted by Manager it, I found my table cumbered with at the Lake Eric & Western Fred G. Berger and T H O'Neill, and my letters to Myrtilla down to the He moved his family tot Day-; the company, which includes many | most fragmentary note—those of the prominent names in the theatrical profession, is the same which will appear in the New York City production in a concerns a young lady well few weeks. To miss seeing this comin south Lima, Miss Rhoda Lu-bination will be to miss the best this litter that saved me from ofter a cousin of the Nelswander theatrical performance of the present season

CHILDPEN POISONED. sent plans and arrangements can Many children are polsoned Bluffton will have a represent made nervous and weak, if not killed ahead. But I did not dream she would in the mission fields of south- outright by mothers' giving them him before the return of an cough by ups containing opiates Fol-Christmas. The representative ey's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and one of Bluffton's most highly hing troubles, and is the only promi red and devoted young Christian nent cough medicine that contains no She is found in the person of oplates or other poisons. For sale by Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets

#### LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Preaching services of the reorgan ized church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will be held in the assembly room of the court house, at 7 30 o'clock, beginning on Monday night, ice of the confidence friends, January 11th and to continue each evening until Friday night, Jan 15

The subject presented will cover church organization, apostacy, reformatory, restoration and spiritual gifts it is the old Jerusalem Gospel nne out even more prominent in restored to earth with all of its power, w field of labor in course of officers, gifts and blessings. In harshort time. Miss Lugibibl will money with prophecy, the Gospel in all rewell to home and friends and its beauty, is again preached upon the Nyack, New York, Missionary earth. Come and hear for yourself. ng School of the Ailiance church "To the law and testimony if they repare more fully for the duties speak not according to it it is because there is no light in them "

Services to be conducted by Elders erday afternoon, the remains J R Beckley, of Barryton, Michigan

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs Chas Applegate of Alexandria, Ind, and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block, I would cough frightfully and spit blood but. when all other medicines failed three 's little daughter Minnie being \$100 hottles of Dr King's New Discovery wholly cured me and I gained 55 pounds" It's absolutely guaran-teed to cure Coughs, Colds La Grippe, Bionchitis and all Throat and Lung m in front of the Baumgardner troubles Price 50c and \$100 Trial der motion store, on south Main hott'es free at H F Vortkamps, coiner North and Main streets

### **PATIENT**

#### Recovering From Attack of Smallpox.

Health Officer Dr. Jones states that ously, baring my head the small pox patient, on Shawnes lest of her brother Homer Bow- street has passed the dangerous stage, and the little girl is rapidly recovering ie S V Cochrun family on west The body is beginning to scale, and street, has returned to her To- the disease will not leave any of the marks which so often result. It was a typical case, and rather remarkable tracted the disease

#### A Forgiving Spirit. In his reminiscences General Gordon

tells a characteristic anecdote of an ec-

centric southern divine, the Rev. Ronert J. Breckinrklge, who was one of the most eloquent and fervid not to say and Mrs Jerry Bishop, of south bitter advocates of the Union cause, en or kept at will' street, are nursing a very sick His trenchant pen and lashing tongue spared neither blood relatives nor minself, provided he regarded them as artrue to de Union On his deathbed his family and some of his church a hand in my pocket as I added. members were gathered around him. They were most anxious that he should I sister, J. E Coleman and be reconciled to all men and especially to a southern sympathiser of his own d Horrett has returned from a church, Dr Stuart Robinson of Kentucky, before he died, and hey asked him, "Brother Breckinridge, have you forgiven all your unemies?" "Oh, yes, certainly I have." "Well, Brother Breckinridge, have you forgiven our ting?" brother, Dr. Stuart Robinson?" "Cer-ig cil ...... 1.65 , that I had forgiven all my enemies? Lime oil ............... 1.36 "But, Brother Breckinridge, when you Lima oil ...... 1.31 meet Brother Stuart Robinson in heav-

got there!"

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NeCULLOCE-WILLIAMS

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Ontside it was raw and gusty, with white, high lying clords sendding so thickly across a pale sky that only novelty, will be the attraction Satur- through the breaks between. Inside

Mertilla is tall and twenty, with a fully carried out, and the four acts child's foot and a turn of the head and being laid in England and Australia neck that would become an empress. give opportunities for magnificent She has core! red hips, a fine, straight scenic effects the management having nose, olive skip, dark almond eyes, beavily lashed and ildded, and a low, straight brow, deeply shadowed by going public on attraction created to dusky floss allk hair. In virtue of all Vermew million did it. Yet the gov- kitchen.-Galveston News please both young and old, rich and this she reigns as a queen over most ernor was hardly an acquaintance. poor alike. This attraction is adver- men. We had been engaged until two tised as "Something New," and it will weeks ago-to be exact, until the date chance and came to his help because, etter received from Dayton, by be welcome indeed to see something of the Verinews' ball and the episode

The ball is ancient history now; besides, it has really nothing to do with the case. I left off dancing-with the Grantley girl at 4 a in -to fling myself last week unopened-my ring, my books, a bracelet or two, the locket with my picture and a litter of those idiotic things one ser ly at Christmas and Paster and on hartidays. It was despair I reasoned that if hyrtilla had cared enough for me to keep it all this time she could not give up caring for me in a moment

Still, I knew there was a tough job go to the length of refusing to see or hear me or even to listen to my side of the case through Aunt Bab most tactful of intermediarles Her people backed her, too-all but Dicky Dicky is fifteen and owns the distinction of being the only thing in trousers Myrtilla has found haiself unable to subjugate I cannot flatter myself that Dicky's advocacy of my cause was wholly disinterested. Dicky has a fine taste in errier pups and a relish for stolen galiops on my hunters. At home he is allowed nothing more hazardous than a steady going cob However that may he, it meant a lot to have any sort of friend at court Otherwise, how should the hall door have swung open at my as preach? The servants had strict or-

ders to shut it car illy an my face, "She's in there. It beats me why you want her why you want any girl, when you've got heaps of dogs and horses." Dicky said, grinning, as I shot past "She's been real hateful polite; him no good for even a fight this whole week." Dicky's voice pursued me down the hall

The south parlor is a square jut, open upon three sides to the sun, with walls more than half windows, iron barred things within There is a big fireplace

Myrtilla stood in front of it, her eyes intently fixed upon the smoldering logs. At my entrance she started ever so lit-74 3t tle, turned her head the least bit and

'Myrtilla," I ventured irresolutely, when you get married.'

my hand still on the doorknob She sat down and took up her embrowlery, her face still further averted Then I knew I had won half a point. If she had been as angry as she believed herself to be she would have marched away with her nose in the air I began again formally, "Miss Grey," but stopped short. She had begun to whistle over her work softly, meditatively, as though she knew herself to be alone.

Something happened then I am nelther poet not tomancet, but my ranging eye saw in the south window a crea ture of tropic charm, slim and tall, green gowned as a wood nymph, with wonderful golden tawny eyes and a grown still more wonderfully red. As I went to her the shivered and set all her green gown fluttering defensively, but I paid no heed to it, only said joy-

"Amaryllis' Leu are a real godsend! I was never so glad to see any one in all my life."

Myrtilla's head came around so that I saw her profile out of the tall of my eye I fancied she stared, but dared not make sure of it. My wood nymph barely nodded; her tremors were all at is entertaining her son Clar- that not a single person exposed con- rest. I bent toward her low enough to look into her golden tawny eyes and

> "What have you done to yourself? You are so beautiful, so stringely, so rarely beautiful, it makes me desperate; that I did not keep my beart for you, or, rather, it would make me despetate if hearts were things that could be giv-

Certainly the wood nymph stared; the gorden tawny eyes looked at me isters nor members of the church, not unwinking Myrilla's head had turneven those of the same faith with him-, ed a little more. Her lips were the least bit parted, as though her breath t came hard. I straightened and stuck

> "The pity of it! There's a true heart gone to waste! True bearts are none so plenty, Amaryilla."

> "Certainly they are not," came scornfully from the fireside. I affected not to hear and went on manfully: "I've played and lost-lost so miscrabiy. Lynus-iles tell me if you

> think I quite deserve what I am get-

"I am going away," came faintly from Myrtilla's chair, but Myrtliin herwif sat still and even made a pretensa of putting stitches late her work. Finding me aftent through a long minute,

she sat very straight and added; "Naturally one is nervous at finding ductif alone with a lunatic. Only questions. Stuart Robinson will never junction talk to things as though they

"Don't mind her, Anaryll g." I said softh. "Poor creature, she is jealous, was auxious to please. After looking She thinks you are no more than a bily over the bill of fare at the lunch bour blooming in a pot. We know better, of 'I concluded that I wanted a silce of

"Really I did not dream you had so among other things to be ordered. Acmuch imagination," Myrtilla said out- cordingly I told the waiter to bring right, snipping her thread as she spoke, me a piece of tongue. He returned

I stared harder than ever at Amanyllla, saying: "Imagination is a fearful thing sometimes. I am glad, Amaryllis, you altogether lack it. You would all. The waiter was hanging around never see in ordinary civilities to a the back of my chair, for he knew an presty girl any thing to turn your love-explanation would be in order in a few ly golden tawny eyes green "

number, I suppose comes under the He smiled. Picking up the bill of fare, day afternoon and evening at the there was the balm of May, especially hand of fordinary civilates," Myrilla he said "I knows it nin't ox ingue, said, her lip curling

> Vermew learned ms extremity by deal. It does not lessen the obligalions more. She is a granddaughterunacknowledged because Mme. Ven ! new wishes to seem as young as their fortune-but the very apple of the Veri new eye. They wanted but to be the belle of the ball-she was say and sensitive and frightened bull out of her wits. Somehow she trusted me"-

"I don't at all wonder at that," said a voice from the fireplace

I bowed gravely and resumed. "When rhythms she must move to, so needs table kingdom that will not tickle it. must lean heavily upon her partner. I understood, some of the others did not Occasionally one was america, still

ery of Amaryllis in my hands, laid my check against it and said dreamily:

much more beautiful," "Are you sure, quite sure, you do love it?" Myrtilia asked tremulously. She

was not answered in words. Five minutes later Dicky, bursting in and golden. After a long look Dicky outside and full of green growing whistled, turned on his heel and said give \$1. Just as he sat down a large you two have made it up. McSnifters know that you're gon' to

### What Constitutes Beath,

Is the cessation of the heart's action an invariable sign of death? There is on record the case of a woman whose heart was revived by artificial respiration some time after she was supposed to have died, but the heart storoed again when the artificial respiration was given up. There is on record also the case of a decapitated munderer whose heart continued to beat for an hour after the execution. Was the man

Obviously the cessation of the brain's activities is no criterion. A medical authority who has lately considered this absorbing and important question offers the following definition of what we call "dorth " "Death," it is suggested, is the name given to the inability of the organs of the body to act together with that harmony which is characteristic of "life," although the derange ment of this vital harmony does not preclude a possible activity of the individual organs, which recalls Herbert Spencer's well known definition of life as a continued adjustment of internal relations to external relations - Harper's Weekly.

"I have something for you here, my jove," said Mr Darley as he proceeded to open a large round hox.

"What is it, precious?" "Wait and see,"

cle and disclosed a lady's lint "Ish't if a beauty?" he asked. "I bought it myself as a surprise to you. Don't you think it is a perfect dream " Mrs. Darley gazed at the bat and

burst into tears "I can't wear ft!" she cried. "It doesn't suit me at all. You meent to please me, I know, but it isn't my

style at alt." "Don't cry, dear. The milliner said you could exchange it, and if you'll agree not to buy any ties for me hereafter ?" select your own bats

and bonnets." An agreement was concluded on that

basis.

. One is rich when one is sure of the morrow,--Chevaller.

He Could Page. "Why do you think be'll be a famous

#ovellat?" "He poses for photographs so well with his arms folded and locking as if he was thinking."-Judge. . .

The waiter was a colored man and or tongue, an article which I found without any unincessary delay and shoved the dish out in front of me. 1 looked is over. It was not tongue at

minutes. "Say, old man," I said to him "Dancing or sitting out every other directly, "this is not ox tongue at all." boss. You see, the steward done made I kent on quietly "And even if you a mistake. It ought to be on tail felt burt you would let me explain. Dat's the only difference." "The only The Verinews have learts as big as difference," I repeated, and the humor their fortune. Thus it happens I owe of the thing dawned on me. "Well." I them what money can never pay. Not added directly, "if the difference should so many years back there was a big be any greater I'll be durned if you flurry in the street that put my govern wouldn't have to get off the ov." The or in the worst sort of hole. It næded waiter caught the numor of the situa a cool million to get him out, and a tion and snickered his way back to the

#### An Elastic Appetite.

The American black bear has an apas he phrased it, he didn't think the petite that may be appropriately termed other side was putting up a square elastic. He will kill a thousand pound steer or capture the tiny field mouse tion that he got his million back, plus for a meal with equal indifference. If a good profit. Eventually the Grant- a pig or a sheep is not handy to his ley girl will have it, with several mil- reach he will dine on a colony of ants or a nest of wood grubs.

He will feast on dainty birds' eggs or 'sweet stores of wild honer and on the fowlest carrion with like gusto. He will fish for the savory trout, but at the same time snap any warty toad or slimy lizard that may happen along that way. He will seek the luscious wild plum when it has ripened or the wild grape among the branches where the vine clambers and bears its fruit, she is not frightened she is pretty, Am but will not miss the opportunity to aryllis. Her head is spierdidly red- make food of any snake that may be not quite so red as yours. She is light, in ambush there for birds that come to on her feet, too, and loves to dance as peck at the plums or grapes. The bear well as the flowers do. The trouble is has a comprehensive palate. There is she has not yet quite caught the scarcely a thing in the animal or vege-

A Haitian Glass Eve.

Some years ago a Haitian general more occasionally one impertment and , wise 'o a Paris optician to supply him a single cad let her see he was asbumed with a glass eye. The optician, flatterof dancing with her in spite of the mil ing himself that a successful eye would lions At her first ball' Think of it' secure for him a Haitian decoration, de-I had to take away the sting of it some- voted his utmost intelligence to the prohow. Perhaps I did seem devoted, but duction of a splendid glass optic Six she didn't misunderstand. I told her months elapsed. A small box reached about Myrtilla in our very first waltz" | hlm from Haiti. A cross glittered in A little inarticulate cry from the fire- his imagination, but, to his horror, place here. Covertly I saw tears on within folds of cotton, was his original Myrtilla's cheeks. She made as though eye, accompanied by the following to rise, but sank back, turned away her note: "Sir-The eye you forwarded to head and resumed the furious stabbing me is of a tipt that resembles that of with her needle. I gathered the green- the Spanist. Ang. and I am too patriotic to wear any but the color of my country." The optician proceeded at once "Amaryllis, tell me why I am fated to the admiralty, there ascertained the to love dusky hair All the painters colors of the Huitian flag and then manand pocts agree that red is ever so ufactured a scarlet and green eye, which he forwarded.

Successful Reminder.

A small church was sadly in need of repairs, and a meeting was held with a upon us, found us side by side, looking | view to raising funds for the purpose. down at Amarylas through sunshine The minister having said that \$500 grown suddenly and magically warm; would be needed, a very wealthy and stings member arose and saul he would from the door over his shoulder, "So piece of plaster fell from the eciling and struck him on his head, wherenoon sald you would, 'cause that red lily he jumped up hastily and sald that he bloomed so far ahead of time. But I had made a mistake, that he would don't care about that. All I want is to give \$50. This was too much for an enthughanc deacon present, who, forget ful of everything, called out fervently: 'O Lord, but him again! Hit him again"-Mount Morris (Ill.) Index.

In a Minute.

We do a good many things in a minute. For instance, we are whirled on the outside of the earth just thirteen miles and have gone around the sun 1.080 miles: A ray of light has traveled 11.100.000 miles: the lowest sound your ear can catch has made 900 vibrations, the loudest tone 2.228,000 vibrations: twenty four barrels of beer have gone down 12,096 thronts; 6,678 cigars have been made; 300 tons of coal have been mined, and \$60 worth of gold has been extracted from mother earth.

5t. Martia and the Dictionary. St. Martin when he divided his cape with a naked beggar at the gate of Amiens gave also two words to the English language. The oratory in which this torn cape was preserved as a sa cred banner acquired the name of "chapelle" (from the French "chape"), the custodian being termed "chaplain," and thus our English words "chapel" and "chaplain" are derived .-- Westminster Gazette.

Her Conclusion, iden that I have serious intention; con-

"I heard him telling mother the other right, and easy terms. day that he didn't think it would cost any more to have you at the table regularly than it does for me to feed you Darley carefully unwrapped the artistrom the pantry shelves every night."-Chicago Record Herald

> vertised that the bouse was five min utes' walk from the station," "Well?" replied the agent.

"Why, it's nearly thirty minutes!" "Ah, then, as we said farther on in the advertisement, it is more than we claimed."

Changed His Mind. "I thought it was a case of love at "It was, but he concluded that second

eight was best."-Brooklyn Life.

The Penalty. "In your bachelors' club what is the penalty for marrying?"

"Marriage."-Town Topics. Witen billous try a dose of Chamberrealize for once how quickly a first- tive. 35 cents, ten or tablets. class up-to-date medicine will correct the disorder. For sale by all drug-



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## IRON

And Steel Trade Is Bad.

### Some Cutting

In Prices Is Reported Current.

for Steel Rails-Others Cut Estimates.

Met Gained in Strength, But Many Inquiries Are Being Recerded.

New York, Jan. 7.-While some improvement is noted in the foundry pig iron markets according to the Iron Age, disquieting reports come from the steel rail and finished material trades. Reports of cutting are again current in structu. ... materials while complair's have been made of price irregularities in the steel plate trade. A disposition to shade prices in northern pig iron also is noted as one of the events of the week. Concerning the steel rail trade, the Iron Age says: Disquieting reports come from the

steel rail trade, which must, however, lose a good deal of their force when the iron indications are more carefully examined It is stated that some of the railroads have recently cancelled orders placed for this year; that others have out down their estimates and have notified the mills of postponement of deliveries, and that earlier inquiries have shrunken much serionaly. The buyers know that the O'M re's" He always added. "He's a steel capacity is much greater now than it was a year ago, the pressure for steel for the manufacture of billets is less, and therefore, in all probability, there will be little trouble at any time during 1904 in securing fair deliveries. There is little incentive. therefore to get orders. Prices are ensually guaranteed against a decline, try underwent a change. but this applies only to the actual time of shipment. When rails are delivered, the con-

tract price holds. In finished fron and steel generally, consumers are mainly taking a waiting attitude. Some been complaints, too, of occassional irregularities in the plate trade. In the east and in the west, iron bases: have not gained in strength, but a developing in an encouraging manner, the crops saved and health restored. There has been increased interest in the foundry pig iron markets, and some disposition on the part of northern producers to shade prices

IN SED FOUR WEEKS WITH GRIP.

ter from Mr. Roy Kemp, of Angola, "I was in bed four weeks with la grippe and I tried many remedies and spent considerable for treatment with physicians, but I received no relief until I tried Foley's Honey and would from a distance of two or three Tar. Two small bottles of this medi- miles represent a dead weight of nearcine cured me, and I now use it exclusively in my family." Foley's Honey and Tar has long been a household favorite for all throat and lung troubles. Refuse substitutes. sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main street.

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Main and North streets.

The word "box" has a great many different meanings. Here are some of its uses as a noun substantive: First a case of any size or muterial, akin to nys, from pyxus, the box tree; second, the driver's seat on a carriage, which : offen has a lid covering a receptacle for small parcels; third, a present, espacially a gift at Christmas time; faurth, inclosed scats in a theater or in a court of justice: fifth, a box drain; sixth, a shug private bouse, as a shooting box; seventh, a cylindrical hollow eighth, a trough for cutting miters in carpentry; ninth, the space between the backboard and sternpost of a boat; tenth, an awkward position-e. g., "in the wrong box;" eleventh, the box tree: twolfth, the box iron of a laundress. Box is used also as a verb (thir- thing that ever was made is Dr King's teenth), to fight with fists or gloves; New Life Pills. These pills change fourteenth, to go over the points of the compass in order, describing its divi- into energy, brain-fag into mental closs; fifteenth, to strike with open power. They're wonderful in building send upon the ear; eixtrenth, to cause up the health. Only 26 cents per box a vessel to turn on her reel, to box bani. Other uses also are consequent

Engineer, L. E. & W. railroad, at present living in Lima. O., will be pleased to know of his recovery from threaten, brick blocks, occupied by the Augusta ed kidney disease. He says, 'I was Savings bank and several stores, were cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure. which i recommend to all, especially burned here today and several other trainmen who are usually similarly buildings were damaged. The less is smitted." For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.



Sickness steals more savings than the blowly, coin by coin, the burglar. money that has been so hardly earned is paid out for drugs and doctors kness is the worst enemy of the working man, and the common cause of the working man's sickness is disease of the Few Reads Canceling Orders; stomach often amalying the heart, lungs,

liver, or kidneys. The use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will stop the stealing of the savings by sickness. It cures disdigestion and nutrition. It cures dis-In East and West Iron Bases Have eases of heart, liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., when these diseases are caused by the diseased condition of the stomach and

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ical Discovery." Nothing else is "just

as good."
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"Sunday Folks."

When Dr. John Cairns went from Scotland to Ireland for rest and travel in 1864 he was at once delighted by discovering from the guides who showed him about that most of the landed gentry were "Sunday folks."

"That's a fine castle," he would say, pointing to a big house set like a crown on some rocky hill.

"Yis, porr," said his guide. "'Tis Sir lately. All this must not be taken too John O'Copnor's," or, "Tis Sir Rory finality. Sundah mon."

At last Dr. Cairns grew curious. "What is a Sunday man?" he asked.

"Well, sorr, it do be a mon that Las so many writs out ag'in him for debt that he stays shut up tight in his house all the week and only comes out on Sundah, when the law protects him." Dr. Cairns' opinion of the landed gen-

#### Hindoe Witcheraft.

All Hindoos believe in witchcraft, and, in strange contrast to the old believers in witchery, they believe that young and pretty maidens are the chief actors in such uncanny mummery. If tonnage has been placed in structural crops are blighted or if a general sickmaterial, but there are reports that ness prevails they write the names of some low prices are being made in all the young women of the vicinity fabricated material and on contract on separate tree branches and then imfor finished structures. There have merse the stems of the twigs for four hours and a half in a solution of hely water and atomatic herbs. If one or more of the twigs wither during the specified time the young woman whose name or names are attached thereto is better volume of inquiries is reported immediately put to death. Thus the in sheets. An export trade in bars is influence of the witch is counteracted.

How Heavy a Brick May Be. Some years ago one man bet another that he could not move an ordinary brick tied to the end of a cord two or three miles long. A straight and level road just outside Chichester, N. Y., We have received the following let was selected for the trial. The brack was not moved, and the man lost his bet for a large amount. It was stated by some one present that the brick, although weighing only seven pounds,

His Test of Greatness. "Ah," she sighed, "the great men are

ali dead." "But the beautiful women are not,"

be answered Then she looked soulfully up into he

out all I could earn trying to cure the to be contrary and not because she eyes and told him she had said at just thought it for a moment.-Household

> Faithful to the Law. "Why did you let him get away from you?" thundered the chief. "He-er-took a mean advantage of

> ran across the grass in the park, and"-

Off the Grass."-Philadelphia Press Erskine's Retort.

Erskine, appointed lord chancellor. robes of the retiring lord, but said: you again." "No. It should not be said that I had Predecessor."

"De man dat kin profit by good ad- hever do that." vice," says Uncle Eben, "has to be about fo' times as smallt as de man dat gives it "-Washington Star.

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# BY THE HAND

By HARRIET G. CANFIELD

"Martha Raymond ain't changed none since she was twenty, 'cept to get redder headed," the village dressmaker said to Deacon Lindsley's wife.

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"I don't know," Mrs Linusley replied. "Seems to me she's more indepencent than ever since her pa and ma

"Think so? Well, she's still on the sunny side of thirty-five and got more taste than any young girl in town. She never wears red next to her hair-always black or white or green. I tell you an artist don't understand colors Gardner's proposed to her jet this spring."

"I guesa not. It's usually a little later'n this he asks ber-'bout when I'm half through house cleanin'."

Every one in the village knew that Philip Gardner annually proposed to Martha Raymond and was annually rejected, but only the rejector and the rejected knew that old Mrs. Gardner was the cause of Philip's woe. Every venr he had said, "Martha, won't you marry me now?" and Martin had replied. "Not if I must live with your mother. Phil.'

Strange to say, he had never asked her to be more explicit. He had no idea of her reason for refusing to live with his mother. It was enough for him that she refused.

This year it was later than usual. Mrs. Lindsley had finished house cleaning when he climbed the steep hill road that led to the old Raymond homestead. It was early in the evening, and Martha was busy among her flower beds. She looked up with a conscious smile when the little gate clicked behind him

"Good evening, Phil." she said, "Did you come to get some violets?" "No," he replied bluntly. "I came to

get you. Can't I, Martha?" "Not if I must live with your moth-

er, Phil," she said, with an air of To her surprise, he did not, as before,

turn dejectedly away. There was a determined look in his eyes before which she trembled. "I--I must go in," she said.

"Not until you've mentioned what you have against my mother" And he

deliberately barred her way. Martha's temper rose. "I wouldn't



"AUNTIE'S GLAD YOU PUT THE PRETTY "B'U FOWER' IN HER HAIR."

"She's as still as death. I like to sing and laugh and make a cheerful clatter. but your mother's house is as silent as a tomb. You can hear a pin drop there any time?

Philip heaved a great sigh of relief. "Mother wouldn't object to your clatter," he said smilingly. "Is that all?" "All? Isn't that enough? Besides, I don't believe in living in the same

house with my mother-in-law!" Philip's face clouded, "I can't turn my mother out even to please you, Mar-

"No one wants you to turn her out, I'm sure. But I don't see why she can't live in the city with your brother." "Mother can't sleep when she's there

me," replied the green detective. "Ife It's too noisy." "That's it. I should have to keen still all the time, and I'd set my heart on "Well, there was a sign there, 'Keep' having a canary and a plane and one of those talking machines when I was

married." Philip smiled sadly. "If you change your mind about mother," he said, "you was offered at a low price the official can let me know, otherwise I'll not ask

Martha laughed scornfully, "I'm not adopted the abandoned habits of my likely to change my mind," she said. "When I do you'll see me wearing red flowers in my hair, and you know I'll

A year went by, and spring came again, but Philip, to the astonishment of the entire village, did not "go court. always carry a liberal supply of sugar in' Martha Raymond." The dressmaker in their kilts. Negroes in the harvest exclaimed over the fact when she was sewing for Mrs Lindsley:

"I declare," she said, "I believe Martha kind of misses it When I was sewin' for her last week she seemed dreadful quiet like. I noticed she Adu't sing much neither "

"Serves her right for givin' Philip the million so often 1 heard Widow Ramsey's son had been com' there some." 'Yes, but she wouldn't give no encouragement, for she said he wasn't good to his mother. She says a man that ain't considerate of his mother

won't be considerate of his wife." Another spring came, and every eye was on Philip. 'He will go to see Marthe now," they said to one another, but Philip did not climb the hill read, He had looked in vain for red flowers in Martha's bair.

One beautift, Sabbatt morning in THE PRIVILEGES broad doorstep waiting for the "first bell" to ring for church. Her brother and his wife and little daughter were visiting her. Ruth was to accompany her to church. The child was playing in the old factioned garden where lert spurs and roses ran wild. Martha called her, and she came running up

climbed up on the broad stone and peeped roguishly into Martha's face. "Only the blue flowers, dearle-the larkspurs. Auntie doesn't wear red in

ber hair." "Yoth." lisped the sweet baby voice. "pitty b'u fowers in auntle's bair" And she tucked a crimson rambler among the soft red coils. Then she

slipped her little hand into Martha's.

and they went to church together

hind them. The old lady looked inbetter'n Murtha does. I wonder if Phil | quiringly at the little child, but Philip's eyes sought Martha's bair, just as they had done in vain for two long years. He half rose from his seat, for there was the blessed red signal at last. He rubbed his eyes and looked again, and when the minister read, "What went ye out to see?" he murmured, "A red flower, of course." His mother laid a reproving hand on his arm. "Hush!" she whispered, just as she had whispered years ago to the restless youngster beside her.

Early that afternoon he climbed the hill road. Martha's brother answered

dear?" "Thank me," she said tremulously,

"for what, Philip?"

'I didn't know it was there," she faltered "I guess Ruth did it" "Yeth," the baby lisped. "I dess I

Philip's face fell. "So it's all a mistake." he said sadiy.

But Martha put her arms around her little niece and held her close.

her bair."

Seeing Six Generations.

A generation is admitted to occupy on an average a snace of thirty-three years. Herace Walnole relates the following amusing instance of seeing six generations: "I was ten when I was presented to George I two nights before he left England for the last time. This makes me appear very old to myself and Methuseiah to young persons if I happen to mention it before them. If I see another relga, which is but too probable, what shall I seem then? I will tell you an odd circumstance. Nearly ten years ugo I had already seen six generations in one family, that of Waldegrave. I have often seen and once been in a room with Mrs. Godfrey, mistress of James II. It is true she doted. Then came her daugh ter, the old Lady Waldegrave; her son, the ambassador, his daughter, the Lady Harriet: her daughter, the present Lady Powis, and she has children who may be married in five or six years. And yet I shall not be very old if I see two generations more, but if I do I shall be superannuated, for I think I talk already like an old nurse."

finishing touches to her ladyship's ciry store. dress. The maid drove the point of a pin into her mistress and apologized. Some one had at that moment handed the maid a letter from her brother, a French sailor, from whom she had not beard for some time, and its receipt had startled her. Sir John Acton, foresceing possibilities, offered to read the letter while the maid continued her attentions to her mistress. The moment he had read it he dashed off to find Nelson. The letter gave all the information as to the whereabouts and mtentions of the French. Upon this Nelson acted, and the battle of the Nile resulted from that pin prick,

One of the numerous physical culture teachers departs from the faith of

trainers in advising his pupils to eat all the sugar they can get Either in taking off fiesh or in putting on fiesh his advice is to make sugar in some form or other a liberal part of the daily diet. "Sugar is a very powerful stimulant and a great producer of nerve force," he said. "I spent two winters in the Klondike, where the miners ent enormous quantities of sugar and molasses. They even sweeten salt pork with it. Mon who simply sonk themselves in sweets do twice the work of men who let sugar alone. Swiss mountaineers

fields grow fat on sugar cane, "In hot or cold climates a liberal diet of sugar will put a man in the finest nossible condition. Whatever bad effects ougar may have at first are soon remedied by exercise It has been a fad for two or three years to howl against the use of sugar, but there is no sound

Not What She Meant, Physician (to patient's wife)-Why

did you delay sending for me until your husband was unconscious? Wife-Well, doctor, as long as he retained his senses he wouldn't let us send for you.

faults of others?

OF THE RICH

[Original]

Several young men were sitting in the cafe of a city club.

"I tell you gentlemen," said Gregery, "the laws are made for the rich. to that effect, and a similar rule might It is the poor who are ground to pieces be adopted with still greater profit by ander them." "You say that, Gregory, you a multi-

milhonaire!" cried Townsend. "Yes, I say it. Observe the poor der-

ils who come up daily in a morning police court. How quickly they are sent to the various jails, usually on suspicion! I'll bet any man in this party \$10 that I can put on a ragged suit and get myself arrested within two bours, and yet I will cransgress no laws. I will behave myself as a good citizen." "I'll take that bet," said Townsend.

"As soon as I can get the rage."

An hour later a man in tatters, followed at a distance by several young fellows in immaculate costumes, entered a store and desired to be shown some portieres and window hangings.

Reinctantly the floorwalker himself took the customer to the curtain counter and remained there while he looked over the goods, purchasing \$500 worth and producing bank notes with which to pay.

"Where will you have them sent?" asked the merchant, aghast.

"Clinton Gregory, 225 -th avenue." When Gregory left the store he was followed by a detective. Passing the opera house, he went to the office and selected the most expensive box for the evening's performance.

the clerk.

"Myself" "Yourself?"

"You get out of this mighty quick or you'll get fired "

Since Gregory was not to transgress any law he departed. As he left the opera house the detective who had shadowed him and heard the conversatheir carriages. Those who noticed him stared at him and were thankful that they were not further exposed to his attentions by being on foot. Happering to come up to a lady just as she was alighting to enter a store, be lifted his hat and offered to hand her from her carriage She brushed past bim and reported the matter in the store. A policeman was called, but Gregory bad departed

Turning into the principal jewelry store in the city, he pulled a solitaire diamond ring from his vest pocket and, handing it to a clerk, asked its value. "We know nothing of the value of paste or crystals," said the clerk, turn-

"Will you kindly examine this one?

I think it's a genuine diamond." The clerk took the ring, scrutinized it, looked suspiciously at the man in rags, wedged a glass in his eye, which he turned on the stone, then looked seriously at its owner.

"How did you come by this?" be asked

"I bought it." "H'm. Rought it in this store?"

"No; a year ago in London" "Wait

Calling for one of the firm, the clerk whispered to him that it would be well to examine the stock of diamond rings palatable," argued the novelist been no battle of the Nile. At one to learn if any of them had been stolen moment Nelson was fretting his heart No deficit was discovered and Gregory out in vam quest of the French, with was permitted to depart in charge of a no one to furnish a clew as to their detective. There were now two dewhereabouts Next minute the secret tectives on his track, and they soon was out-in a lady's bondoir. Sir John discovered that they were watching the Acton, commander in chief of land and same man. The first gave a history of would dry on the shelves" sea forces at Naples, was in his wife's the case to the second up to the moroom when her maid was putting the ment the suspect had entered the jew-"Shall we take him in?" asked the

second "Better wait. We've got him sure He'll give us more evidence of the same kind. May as well have it all."

Gregory turned into a minor street and entered a pawnshop. "What will you loan me on this scarf pin?" he asked, producing a pin set with a ruby as big as a bea.

The broker examined it. "Vat I gif you? I gif you ten dol-

"Why, the stone is worth fifty times that." "Yes, my frient, but I don't ask no juestions?

"Ask all the questions you like. The stone is mire, and I came by it honestly ' The two detectives, who were stand-

ing at the door, advanced. "Corre, my man, we want you." And Gregory was led off to a police station, where the following charges were en-

First.—Having in his possession large sums of stolen money. Second .- Purchas' ; goods with monry supposed to be counterfeit.

Third.-Insulting ladies on the street. Fourth,-Attempting to pawn stolen The prisoner was about to be led off

to a cell when several young men in respectable costumes advanced and explained matters, whereupon the suspect was permitted to depart in their company. Gregory got himself into evening dress, and the party dined together at the club.

poverty to contend with, but constant suspicion. In other words, as a poor man I would not have the same privileges under the law that I would have as a rich man." "It does seem to work that way at times," remarked the loser.

story building occupied by James H.

RMERY STRONG TORBERT.

Dillington and Co., manufacturers of bobbins and shuttles, was almost completely destroyed by fire today. Loss \$50,000, partly insured.

Braith Ruits.

One of Queen Victoria's brakin rules

is said to have been, "Do whatever you like, but do it in moderation," or words the men and women of the present day. The people of Queen Victoria's generation had not made a fad of health, and every nemspaper they picked up did hot worry them with conflicting hygienic rules. The no preakfast fiend, if he existed was less prominent than at present, and those who thought that the first ought to be the best meal of the day did not publish their views from every roof top, figuratively speaking. Vegetarians and meat eaters wrangled only in inconspicuous corners, and the devotees of the cold bath were content with fewer victims. Today, when all these and a million other so called health rules are being dinned into the ears of a long suffering public on all sides, it is more than ever important to be. ' in mind that inclinations and disinclinations were not arbitrarily implanted by nature in animal organisms; that they exist for our guldance and not solely to mislead us. - New York Tribune. A Man and a Hatpin.

In a theater recently a man down in

one of the front rows spied on the floor a large batpin with an amber top. Tooking about him, he saw that two remedy, at women and their escorts had just sat down. To one of the former he presented the pin A shake of the head indicated that he had made a mistake. "For whom do you want it?" asked Then he tried across the aisle. The women seemed to be interested. The pin was a curiosity and its amber of a unique carving. They hesitated, but "Yes. Don't you understand Eng- the pin was handed back. Desperately he began the search now. Two ladies unattended seemed likely owners. To them he showed the pin. They took it and enjoyed its pattern. Just then the man felt a tug on his sleeve. It was his wife, and she remarked, "Why are you showing my hatpin to strangers?" He tion went out a short distance behind blushed went over to the feminine pair him. Passing down the street, Gregory and explained. 'H's my wife's hatoin.' from time to time took off his hat po- he said, but in such consciously gulity litely to several ladies who rolled by in accents that the women handed it back with doubting smiles.

The Coup de Monserrat.

The fatal 1980e of a recent French duel causes discussion of what the Parisian fencers call the "coup de Monserrat." The history of this streke is romantic. The hero of the story was a young Parislan musician engaged to be married to a young lady of Bordeaux. Quarreling with a cousin of his flancee, came before the public had to he got his ears boxed at the Bordcaux club. Ignorant of fencing, he dared not resent the insult and renounced his! Lid you ever stop to this engagement. But he also took fencing lessons from one Monserrat, a maitre d'armes of Toulouse. Monserrat taugue him one trick only, and he practiced it 'an economical basis to the mo for a year. At the end of that time he returned to the Bordeaux club, slapped his man's face and, being called out, instantly ran his opponent through the body with his cuming lunge.

The Pill and the Coating.

Joseph Savador, the French histo- tion to invest in this great and rian, and Jules Sandeau, a novelist, able enterprise. made their meeting at a public reception the occasion for a dispute as to the respective places which they occupied

in the world of letters "The reading of history is like a pillit needs the sugar coating to make it 'nothing to investigate.

"Ah, but it is the ingredient which cures, not the coaing," remarked the piece of real estate, and build **h**istorian

"Then let us divide honors," said Sandeau, 'for if it were not fer my, You find what other land is sugar coating your instocient facts in that particular vicinity, a

Man's Essay on Pope. From Armstrong & Teaching of Scientific Method" we extract the following. "If the proper study of man (see) sults for your examination, ba be man-as the highest dignitary of our church some time ago asserted," government authorities as on etc. This is not simply due to a natu- tects. ral confusion between A. Pope and the none. If comes of a poets having two Christian names, including one for his surname, so that the student of the "Dictionary of Familiar Quotations" is

Wise Pa. Johnny-Pa, what is tact?

him as Pope, Alexander -- Punch.

Wise Pa-Tact, Johnny, is knowing how to do things without appearing to The United Ginseng be doing them For instance, I asked Mr. Aridman to dinner this evening, and incidentally I remarked that your mother would entertain us on the piano. Mr. Aradman said he was so sorry he couldn', come. - Boston Transcript.

Management. "I don't see, Ella, how you manage

with your housekeeping money. If I give you a lot, you spend a lot, but if I don't give you so much you seem to get along with it." "Why, that's perfectly simple, Ru-

dolph. When you give me a lot I use it to pay the debts I get into when you don't give me so much."

An Official Mystery, Years ago, when Lord Anglesey was

lord lieutenant of Ireland, he said once of the Irish secretary of that day, "Mr. Stanley and I do very well together as companions, but we differ so totally about Iroland that I never mention the Prompt Deliveries subject to him." Just how they transacted official business remains a mys

Resemblances. "Everybody says the baby looks like

you. Doesn't that please you?" "I don't know," replied Popley, "but I tell you what-I'm glad nobody thinks of saying I look like the baby."-Philadelphia Public Leager.

He who is most slow in making a promise is the most faithful in its per formance.-- itousseng.

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upon these. The many friends of G. H. Henson, OF A CHILD

with her hands full of blossoms. "Party flowers," she said, "Rufe put some in Aunt Marfa's bair." And she

Philip and his mother sat directly be-

his knock. She was in the garden with little Ruth, he said. He found them there among the foses and tarkspurs. "Martha," he cried, hurrying down the gravel path, "how can I thank you,

"For wearing this." And he took the withered red rose from her hair. Her eyes opened wide with surprise

lid-pitty b'u Cower"

"Tell him," she said, "that auntie's glad you put the pretty b'u fower in

But for a pin prick there would have

Suche as a Stimulant.

physiological reason for it."

You have a good many faults of your own Why are you so hard on the

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"You see, gentlemen," sold the winuer, "the poor man has not only his

MANY BOSDINS BURNED. Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 7.—The five

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### WORD

### Received Telling of Hood's PHIs Accident to

### Charles Clark.

Loat an Eye While at Work, in Dayton.

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Respects to Church Coal Bin. Itoms of Interest to South Siders.

ton about a year and a half ago.

The following from the Bluffton

it present plans and arrangements can

of the infant chihi of Mr. and Mrs W. and James E Kelley, of Lamoin, Ia. E Born, of Tanner avenue, were placed in Woodlawn cemetery. The little one only lived nine hours.

ill with toroat trouble

### More Petty Thieving.

Yesterday, a pair of pants was stolin from in front of the Baumgardner

the church He says there have Recovering From Attack of building lately, and has laid the matter before the police to investigate

Local Briefs. the guest of her brother Homer Bowhibby street, has returned to her To-

ittdo home

meeting tonight at their hall, at 7.30 Miss Carrie Sleber, has returned home from Cleveland, where she at-

tended business college,

visiting a sister, Mrs. Emma Morris.

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THE STAGE

play is not a complicated one, the should find Myrtilla. Mrs. Minerva Clark, of west Kibby new in the way of a theatrical per- of the Grantley girl. street, brought the sad news that her formance for one must confess that. The ball is ancient history now; beson, Charles Clark, had the misfortune most of the average attractions have sides, it has really nothing to do with to lose an eye, Tuesday, by a piece become somewhat stale and weary. Grantley girl at 4 a in. -to fling myself of chipped brass entering it, and des. This play with its novel title, 'Dare' into tweeds and set forth upon a troying the sight. Mr. Clark and fam- Devil Dorothy, has been beautifully week's journey. Coming home from street, and he learned the machinists organized and mounted by Manager it, I found my table cumbered with rade at the Lake Erie & Western Fred G. Berger and T. H O'Nelli, and i my letters to Myrtilla down to the shops. He moved his family tot Day, the company, which includes many most fragmentary note-those of the prominent names in the theatrical profession, is the same which will appear in the New York City production in a leader concerns a young lady well 'few weeks. To miss seeing this comknown in south Lima, Miss Rhoda Lu- bination will be to miss the best this litter that saved me from utter ginihi, a cousin of the Nelswander theatrical performance of the present despair. I reasoned that if Myrtilla season.

#### CHILDREN POISONED.

Many children are poisoned be met, Bluffton will have a represent, made nervous and weak, if not killed tative in the mission fields of south- outright by mothers' giving them cough syrups containing opiates. Fol-Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and esteemed and devoted young Christian nent cough medicine that contains no women. She is found in the person of opiates or other poisons. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and

#### LATTER DAY SAINTS.

Preaching services of the reorganized church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints will be held in the assembly room of the court house, at 7:30 o'clock, beginning on Monday night, January 11th and to continue each evening until Friday night, Jan. 15

The subject presented will cover stood Her life in this city has been church organization, apostacy, reone of influence for good and it is formatory, restoration and spiritual hoped that the same characteristics gifts. It is the old Jerusalem Gospel will shine out even more prominent in , restored to earth with all of its power. he, new field of labor. In course of officers, gifts and blessings. In hara very short time, Miss Lugibihl will money with prophecy, the Gospel in all bid forewell to home and friends and its beauty, is again preached upon the go to Nyack, New York, Missionary earth. Come and hear for yourself. Training School of the Albance church "To the law and testimony of they and prepare more fully for the duties speak not according to it, it is because there is no light in them '

Services to be conducted by Elders Yesterday afternoon, the remains J. R. Beckley, of Barryton, Michigan,

### Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night It is reported that there are three long," writes Mrs Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind, "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would t Mrs Baine, Miss Lydia Hall and cough frightfully and spit blood but. Hodde's little daughter Minnie being \$1.00 bottles of Dr King's New Diswhen all other medicines failed, three covery wholly cured me and I gained It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe. Bionchitis and all Throat and Lung troubles Price 50c and \$100 Trial bottles free at H F Vortkamp's, corner North and Main streets.

### PATIENT

### Smallpox.

Health Officer Dr Jones states that the small pox patient, on Shawnes street has passed the dangerous stage, man and family, on McPheron avenue, and the little girl is rapidly recovering. and the S V. Cochrun family on west The body is beginning to scale, and the disease will not leave any of the marks which so often result. It was Mis Susan Miller, of south Jackson a typical case, and rather remarkable street, is entertaining her son Clar- that not a single person exposed con-

#### tracted the disease A Forgiving Spirit.

In his reminiscences General Gordon tells a characteristic anecdote of an eccentric southern divine, the Rev. Robert J. Breckinridge, who was one of the most eloquent and fervid not to say Mr and Mrs. Jerry Bishop, of south bitter advocates of the Union cause. Union street, are nursing a very sick. His trenchant pen and lashing tongue spared neither blood relatives nor ministers nor members of the church, not even those of the same faith with him-, ed a little more. Her line were the self, provided he regarded them as artrue to La Union On his deathbod his family and some of his church members were gathered around him. They were most anxious that he should be reconciled to all men and especially to a southern sympathiser of his own T M Herreit has returned from a church, Dr. Stuart Robinson of Kontucky, before he died, and ass; asked hlm. "Brother Breckinridge, nave you forgiven all your encuries?" "Oh, yes, certainly I have." "Well, Brother Breckinridge, have you forgiven our New Castle oit ...... 1.7# tainly I have. Didn't I just tell you Corning cil ...... 1.65 that I had forgiven all my enemies? North Lima oil ................................. 1.36 "But, Brother Brockinridge, when you South Lima oil ..... 1.31 meet Brother Stuart Robinson in heav-Indiana oil ...... 1.31, en do you feel that you can greet him

questions. Stuart Robinson will never

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Outside it was raw and gusty, with white, high lying clouds scudding so "Dare Devil Dorothy," the latest thickly across a pule sky that only English melodramatic musical comedy wan and watery sunshine strained Faurot opera house. The story of the in the south parlor, where I knew I

musical theme is simple but beauti. M. tilla is tall and twenty, with a fally carried out, and the four acts child's foot and a turn of the head and being laid in England and Australia neck that would become an empress. give opportunities for magnificent She has coral red has, a fine, straight scenic effects, the management having none, olive skin, dark almond eyes, flurry in the street that put my govern- wouldn't have to get off the ox." The going public an attraction created to dusky floss silk hair. In virtue of all Verinew million did it. Yet the gov- kitchen.—Galveston News please both young and old, rich and this she reigns as a queen over most poor alike. This attraction is adver- men. We had been engaged until two tised as "Something New," and it will weeks ago-to be exact, until the date chance and came to his help because, A letter received from Dayton, by be welcome indeed to see something of the Verinews' ball and the episode

last week unopened-my ring, my books, a bracelet or two, the locket with my picture and a litter of those idiotic things one ser is at Christmas and Easter and on birthdays. It was had cared enough for me to keep it all this time she could not give up caring for me in a mamount.

Still, I knew there was a tough fob ahead. But I did not dream she would go to the length of refusing to see or hear me or even to listen to my side of the case through Aunt Bab, most tactful of intermediaries. Her people backed her, too-all but Dicky. Dicky is fifteen and owns the distinction of being the only thing in trousers Myrtilla has found he self unable to subjugate. I cannot flatter myself that Dicky's advocacy of my cause was wholly disinterested. Dicky has a fine taste in cerrier pups and a relish for stolen gallops on my hunters. At home he is allowed nothing more hazardous than a steady going cob. However that may he, it meant a lot to have any sort of friend at court. Otherwise, how should the hall door have swung open at my a proach? The servants had strict or-

ders to shut it cirilly in my face. "She's in there. It beats me why you want her why you want any girl, when you're got beaps of dogs and horses." Dicky said, granning, as I shot past no good for even a fight this whole week," Dicky's voice pursued me down the hall

The south parlor is a square jut, orea upon three sides to the sun, with walls more than half windows, from barred intently fixed upon the smoldering logs. tle, turned her head the least bit and

kept on staring in the fire. "Myrtilla," I ventured irresolutely, my hand still on the doorknob. She sat down and took up her embrodery, her face still further averted. Then I knew I had won half a point. If she had been as angry as she be-

lieved herself to be she would have marched away with her nose in the nir I began again formally, 'Miss Grey," but stopped short. She had begun to whistie over her work softly, meditatively, as though she knew herself to be alone.

Something happened then. I am nelther poet nor romancer, but my ranging eye saw in the south window a creature of tropic charm, slim and tail. green gowned as a wood nymph, with wonderful golden tawny eyes and a crown still more wonderfully red As I went to her she shivered and set all i but I paid no heed to it, only said joyously, baring my head-

"Amaryllis! You are a real godsend! was never so glad to see any one in all my life."

Myrtilla's head came around so that saw her profile out of the tail of my eye I fancied she surred, but dared not make sure of it. My wood nymph barely nodded; her tremors were all at rest. I bent toward her low enough to look into her golden tawny eyes and ran on:

"What have you done to yourself? You are so beautiful, so strangely, so love," said Mr Darley as he proceeded rarely beautiful. It makes me desperate that I did not keep my heart for you, or rather, it would make me desperate if hearts were things that could be given or kept at will."

Certainly the wood nymph stared: the golden tawny eyes looked at me unwinking. Myrlika's head had turnleast bit parted, as though her breath; came hard. I straightened and stuck a hand in my pocket as I added.

"The pity of it! There's a true heart gone to waste! True hearts are none; so plenty, Amaryllis." "Certainly they are not," came scorn-

fully from the fireside. I affected not to hear and went on manfully; "I've played and lost-lost so miserably. Linux-then tell me if you

think I quite deserve what I am get-

ting?" "I am going away," came faintly from Myrtilla's chair, but Myrtilla herself sat still and even made a pretensa of putting attitches late her work. Find-

ing me allent through a long minute, she sat very straight and added: "Naturally one is nervous at finding dnowlf alone with a lunatic. Only lunation talk to things as though they

"Don't mind her, An aryll'g." I said. The waiter was a colored man and

'y golden tawny ey⇔ green." Dancing or sitting out every other novelty, will be the attraction Satur- through the breaks between. Inside number, I suppose, comes under the He smiled. Picking up the bill of fare, day afternoon and evening at the there was the balm of May, especially head of 'ordinary evilities,' Myrtilla he said: "I knows it ain't ox the gue, said, her lip curling

I kept on quietly "And even if you ernor was hardly an acquaintance. Vermew learned his extremity by as he phrased it, he didn't think the lions more. She is a granddaughter- or a nest of wood grubs. wits. Somehow she trusted me"-

a voice from the fireplace

rhythms she must move to, so needs table kingdom that will not tickle it. must lean beavily upon her partner. I, understood; some of the others did not. Occasionalin ora mg durried, still more occusionally one impertment and a single cad let her see he was ashamed

with her needle. I gathered the greenery of Amaryllis in my hands, laid my cheek against it and said dreamily:

much more begutiful."

"Are you sure, guite sure, you do love him. "She's been real hateful polite; ht?" Myrtilla asked trenanlously. She was not answered in words

and golden. After a long look Dicky outside and full of green growing whistled, turned on his heel and said give \$1. Just as he sat down a large things within There is a big fireplace. from the door over his shoulder, "So piece of plaster fell from the ceiling Myrtilla stood in front of it, her eyes you two have made it up. McSnifters and struck him on his head, whereupon ntently fixed upon the smoldering logs. said you would, 'cause that ted lily be jumped up hastily and said that he At my entrance she started ever so ht- bloomed so far ahead of time. But I had made a mistake, that he would when you get married."

### What Constitutes Beath.

Is the cessation of the heart's action an invariable sign of death? There is on record the case of a woman whose heart was revived by artificial respiration some time after she was supposed to have died, but the heart stopped again when the artificial respiration was given up. There is on record also the case of a decapitated murderer whose heart continued to heat for an hour after the execution. Was the man

Obviously the cessation of the brain's activities is no criterion. A medical authority who has lately considered this absorbing and important question offers the following definition of what her green gown fluttering defensively, ed, is the name given to the inability of the organs of the body to act together with that harmony which is characteristic of "life," although the derangement of this vital harmony does not proclude a possible activity of the individual organs, which recalls Herbert Spencer's well known definition of life as a continued adjustment of internal relations to external relations - Harper's Weekly.

### A Bargain,

"I have something for you here, my cerning you?" to open a large, round box.

"What is it, precious?" "Wait and see." Darley carffully unwrapped the arti-

cle and disclosed a lady's hat. "Isn't 'I a beauty?" be asked. bought it myself as a surprise to you. Don't you think it is a perfect dream?"

burst into tenra "I can't wear it!" she cried. doesn't suit me at all. You meant to please me, I know, but it isn't my

style at all." "Don't cry, dear. The milliner said you could exchange it, and if you'll agree not to buy any ties for me hereafter ?"" select your own bats

and bonnets." An agreement was concluded on that lianis.

. One is rich when one is sure of the morrow .-- Chevaller.

He Could Pose , "Why do you think he'll be a famous

novelist?" "He poses for photographs so well, with his arms folded and locking as if he was thinking."-Judge.

softly. "Poor erentury, she is jealous, was auxious to please. After looking She thinks you are no more than a bily over the bill of fare at the lunch hour blooming in a pot. We know better, of 'I concluded that I wanted a since of ox tongue, su article which I found "Really I did not dream you had so among other things to be ordered. Acmuch imagination," Myrilla said out- cordingly I told the waiter to bring right, snipping her thread as she spoke. The a piece of tongue. He returned I stared insider than ever at Amaryl- without any unnecessary delay and lis, saying: "Imagication is a fearful thevel the dain out in front of me. I thing sometimes. I am glad, Amaryl- looked it over. It was not tongue at lis, you altogether inch it. You would all. The waiter was hanging around never see in ordinary civilities to a the back of my chair, for he knew an pretty girl and thing to turn your love-explanation would be in order in a few minutes. "Say, old man," I said to bim directly, "this is not ox tongue at all." boss. You see, the steward done made a mistake. It ought to be ox tail. felt burt you would let me explain. Dat's the only difference." "The only The Verinews have hearts as big as difference," I repeated, and the humor their fortune. Thus it happens I one of the thing dawned on me. "Well," I them what money can never pay. Not added directly, "if the difference should so many years back there was a blg be any greater I'll be durned if you Thieves Reb a Preacher and Pay taken advantage of all these facts heavily lashed and fidded, and a low, or in the worst sort of hole. It needed waiter caught the humor of the situation to put before the American theatre- straight brow, deeply shadowed by a cool million to get him out, and a tion and snickered his way back to the

#### An Elastic Appetite.

The American black bear has an appetite that may be appropriately termed other side was putting up a square elastic. He will kill a thousand pound deal. It does not lessen the obliga- steer or capture the tiny field mouse tion that he got his million back, plus for a meal with equal indifference. If a good profit. Eventually the Grant- a pig or a sheep is not handy to his the case. I left off dancing-with the ley girl will have it, with several mil- reach he will dine on a colony of ants

unacknowledged because Mine. Veri- He will feast on dainty birds' eggs or new wishes to seem as young as their 'sweet stores of wild honey and on the fortune-but the very apple of the Veri- foulest carrion with like gusto. He will new eye. They wanted her to be the fish for the savory trout, but at the belie of the ball-she was say and sensi- same time snap any warty toad or tive and frightened half out of her slimy lizard that may happen along that way. He will seek the luscious "I don't at all wo ider at that," said wild plum when it has ripened or the wild grape among the branches where I bowed gravely and resumed; "When the vine clambers and hears its fruit, she is not frightened she is pretty. Am- but will not miss the opportunity to aryllis. Her head is splerdidly red- make food of any snake that may lie not quite so red as yours. She is light in ambush there for birds that come to on her feet, too, and loves to dance as peck at the plums or grapes. The bear well as the flowers do. The trouble is has a comprehensive palate. There is she has not yet quite caught the scarcely a thing in the animal or vege-

#### A Haitian Glass Eye.

Some years ago a Haitian general with to a Paris optician to supply him with a glass eye. The optician, flatterof dancing with her in spite of the mil- ing himself that a successful eye would lions. At her first ball! Think of it! secure for him a Haltian decoration, de-I had to take away the sting of it some- voted his utmost intelligence to the prohow. Perhaps I did seem devoted, but duction of a splendid glass optic. Six she didn't misunderstand. I told her months elapsed. A small box reached about Myrtilla in our very first waitz" him from Haiti. A cross glittered in A little inarticulate cry from the fire- his imagination; but, to his horror, place here. Covertly I saw tears on within folds of cotton, was his original Myrtilla's cheeks She made as though eye, accompanied by the following to rise, but sank back, turned away her note: "Sir-The eye you forwarded to head and resumed the furious stabbing me is of a tint that resembles that of the Spanish fing, and I am too patriotic to wear any but the color of my country." The optician proceeded at once "Amaryllis, tell me why I am fated to the admiralty, there ascertained the to love dusky bair. All the painters colors of the Haitian flag and then manand poets agree that red is ever so ufactured a scarlet and green eye, which he forwarded.

#### Successful Reminder.

A small church was sadiy in need of Five minutes later Dicky, bursting in repairs, and a meeting was held with a upon us, found us side by side, looking | view to raising funds for the purpose. down at Amaryills through sanchine The minister baving said that \$500 grown suddenly and magically warm would be needed, a very wealthy and stingy member arose and said he would don't care about that. All I want is to give \$50. This was too much for an enknow what you're goin' to give me thusiastic deacon present, who, forgetful of everything, called out fervently: 'O Lord, but him again! Hit him again!"-Mount Morris (Iil.) Index.

### In a Minute.

We do a good many things in a minute. For instance, we are whirled on the outside of the earth just thirteen miles and have gone around the sun 1,089 miles; & ray of light has traveled 11,100,000 miles; the lowest sound your ear can catch has made 990 vibrations, the loudest tone 2.228,000 vibrations: twenty-four barrels of beer have gone down 12,096 throats: 6,673 cigars have been made: 300 tons of coal have been mined, and \$60 worth of gold has been extracted from mother earth.

St. Mactin and the Dictionary. St. Martin when he divided his cape with a naked beggar at the gate of amiens gave also two words to the English language. The oratory in which this torn cape was preserved as a sacred banner acquired the name of "chapelle" (from the French "chape"), the custodian being termed "chaplain," and thus our English words "chapei" and "chaplam" are derived.-Westminster

Her Conclusion.

"I heard him telling mother the other right, and easy terms.

Gazette.

claimed."

day that he didn't think it would cost any more to have you at the table regularly than it does for me to feed you from the paritry shelves every night."-Chicago Record-Herald.

More Than They Claimed. "Say." sald the trate victim, "you ad Mrs. Darley gazed at the hat and vertised that the house was five min utes' walk from the station."

"Well?" replied the agent. "Why, it's nearly thirty minutes!" "Ab, then, as we said farther on in the advertisement, it is more than we

Changed His Bind. "I thought it was a case of love at

first sight "It was, but he concluded that second eight was best."-Brooklyn Life.

The Penalty. "In your bachelors' club what is the penalty for marrying?" "Marriage."-Town Topics.

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To Go To China. tamily, of Broadway. 'It may not be generally known, but

ern China before the return of another Christmas. The representative is one of Bluffton's most highly lung troubles, and is the only promi Miss Rhoda Lugibihl, daughter of B. Main streets. P Lugibihl, of upper Main street in order to give the people of this city and community an opportunity to lend a helping hand in sending Miss Lugilight to the foreign field, an offering was taken expressly for this purpose Sunday afternoon amounting to nearly four hundred dollars. This is clear evidence of the confidence friends place in this woman and speaks in language that cannot be misunder-

of the foreign field." Lived But Nine Hours,

Diphtheria Reported.

and Mrs Wm Hodde, of Holly street.

& Border motion store on south Main The janitor at the south side Church of Chilst reports the theft of coal and electric light hulbs from the basement

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ence and wife, of Montpeller. All members of Court Lima No 560, Poresters, are requested to be at the

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Crawford, lounging in the doorway of

the barroom, languadly smoking a

"Are you the proprietor here?"

"Accommodate me here?" The young

"How long?" said Billy, removing

"As long as I like the place," said the

other. "Maybe all summer, maybe a

and, picking up the bulging suitease.

From behind the closed blinds in the

a stage station which Billy Crawford

-some one else had watched the ar-

room. Araminta was wnitress as well

as cook. When she came into the din-

ing room the guest fixed his eyes upon

her. She was good to look upon-dark,

well formed, with a fullness of figure

and an unstudied case which youth and

Crawford came into the dining room

for a moment to inquire concerning his

guest's comfort. He indicated his

In the days that followed Deming

ed ill with the narrowness of her sur-

roundings. Her father and the men

who came to the inn were gross and

coarse. Azide from the old negro wom-

an who assisted about the place, there

was not a woman within thirty miles.

possessed of a native refinement and a

simple frankness which Deming found

The weeks flew past, and Deming im-

proved. He was much in Minta's com-

pany, and the more be saw of the girl

the deeper grew his interest in her,

He showed her his diploma from Yale

and told her of his life in the world

outside, while she listened eagerly for

every detail. They walked together,

they fished in the stream at the back

of the inn, they set up a target and

tried his rifles, and the girl proved to

be a far better shot than he. Mean-

While his lungs mended, and be devel-

trouble, of which Minta was the cause.

all. One October night Deming sought

Crawford, who was smoking sleepily

m the deserted barroom. Deming made

known his intentions, and Crawford

came suddenly from his somnolent

"No" said Crawford. "Minta marry

a consumptive-a tenderfoot consump-

tive? No, sir; she is going to marry

the son of old Jones, who runs the

stage route. That was arranged years

Deming turned angrily on his beel

and left the room. Ontside in the

moonlight be met Minta, who laughed

when he told her of the interview,

whispered a few words into his ear

Late next afternoon, when the stage

"None at all, I assure you," Deming

replied, with a twinkle in his eye, for

coach had rattled off toward Red

"Minta!" he bellowed through the

Far up on the stage read, which

Mountain, Billy called his daughter.

woman into the coach.

sub," said the colored girl.

the girl?"

tothing the matter with his lungs."

mood and swore roundly.

oped a very common form of heart

There could be but one ending to it

irresistibly charming.

life in the open air had given her

daughter with a wave of his hand

his recovery.

Billy "reckoned be was."

year, maybe longer."

led his guest within.

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#### THE WEATELER.

Washington Jan. 7.-For Ohio: Snow tonight, with rising temperature, west portion, brisk south winds.

Steel common, it will seen he worth

place Monday. Free show on the capitol steps immediately after the parade.

Láma.

that there has been but one uprising four, it amounted to \$15,50. in San Domingo in the last twenty-

with which to make a new figure for A large number of persons from

have caused yesterday's frightful wreck on that road in Kansas.

sult of a greed that will in time more surely destroy this nation than it will all of its people

to fill the office. The tribute is a fine one to the newspaper profession, belong array of republican lawyers and strength of Japan and Russia is made spellbinders, who, in years past, were for the London Times, by its military elected to the position.

that the man who had not bathed for but not even the best of the Russian even thirteen years, would not be ab- ships conces up to the Japanese stansolutely immune from the rigors of dard. Moreover, the Japanese ships any old cold clizate.

### WE AGREE WITH YOU.

The people who shout for pure

The coming Lincoln day in Ohio, has four fine dockyards, "quite capwill be a history maker. Then, and able both of constructing and repairnot until then will the republicans of ing vessels of any class," while Rus-Ohio be taken into the confidence of sia's docking facilities are "entirely Hunna, Dek and Cox, and told the inadequate even for the ordinary re-

been quietly sent along the line that everything considered, that the writer accessors accessors and accessors accessors accessors and accessors accessors accessors accessors and accessors a until then. Senator Hanna and his would not be surprised if the Russians friends will make no change in the should "withdraw their ships into the presidential situation in its applica-Gulf of Pe-Chi-Li rather than force tion to Ohio. The assurance is grand. a fleet action."

isut there are other forces working. When the issue at sea has been set-Whether it was an injection of nitro-tled, either by victory or blockade. siveering, or the victory of Wood that then will come the land campaign. started the fighting blood in Foraker Japan's permanent army has 7,500 of-RECEIVING ASSOCIATED PRESS again, is not known, but it is coursing, ficers and 190,000 men. Her reserve and the effect is evident in his old and territorial armies bring her total time, faithful "Dog Tray" followers, land force to 439,000 men. Russia, ac- When the westbound stage drew up at who are busying themselves in this cording to the best estimate that can Crawford's that April afternoon a solicounty and elsewhere in setting up be made, has about 150,000 men in the tary passenger alighted-a tall, strong Should at the Postedice at Lime, Obie, as the political pins to capture the Ohio far east, while "it is probable that the featured young man who carried himdelegation to the national convention. Russian troops which would be avail-From an outsider standpoint, it looks able for service in Manchuria when as if Foraker had of late strongly en- either Russia or Japan has proved ita stubby clay pipe, looked at the arrival trenched himself with the administra- naval domination in the China seas critically. He noted the man's face, of tion, and that the "bloody shirt" would will not much exceed 200,000 men." the chalky whiteness of unpolished

soon wave again in Ohio, but this, With Japan victor at sea, the millimarble, the dark rings under his eyes THE SUMI-WEEKLY TIMES DEMOCRAT time within the ranks of the republicary expert believes that Japan's and the gount bollows in his cheeks, transportation facilities would be far which made the cheek bones glaringly At any rate, all is not lovely in the superior to Russia's. He points out apparent. family, and who will be the next post that the Siberian railroad is exceedmester is still in the regime of undimensional inclusions, that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments is still in the regime of undimensional that it ments it ments in the regime of undimensional that it ments it ments in the regime of undimensional that it is not the regime of the regime of undimensional that it is not the regime of the reg master is still in the realms of un- ingly vulnerable, that it would require the combativeness this man's bearing an immense force to guard it, and that seemed to suggest. They were prope at the best its facilities cannot serve to wear a tired, hopeless, often fright-There are but faint hopes of peace, for the maintenance of more than ened, look. Generally, too, they went and the question next for considera-100,000 men. On the other hand back in a few months by the stage tion will be: "Who will get the big Japan, with her railroads and harbors again-in a long box on the trunk rack and with her short sea haul, "should behind, he able to land an expeditionary force it would be before this one went back superior to any force that Russia by in such fusuion, when the young man Mrs. Chas. Yoakam, of Paulding means or her land communications strode brinkly up the steps and accostcounty, spent a part of the week with can concentrate against her in four ed him. months."

The Eagle Oil Co., has a rig up for The personal factors—bravery, another well on the Frank Delong brains, enthusiasm, discipline are man shot out his questions with no less amenable to calculation, but both waste of words, Shappell & Co., have their number the military and the navai experts be-1 on the Lafayette Bowsher farm in lieve in their best judgment that the his evil smelling pipe. the sand, but at this time, we are un- Japanese are the superior.

Magnets and Magnetism.

The following report shows that if ! . . . the people of a community are to be The modern theory of magnetism, four or five months at the most," but Friday fair except snow along the judged by the amount of reading known as Weber's, aided greatly by he said, "Guess so," replaced his pipe, they do that Shawnee will not take a the work of Professor Ewing, mainback seat for any of them. During tains that even the smallest physical the month of December, R. G. Stock- quantity, the molecule, present in a Unless they quit digesting U S. ton, carrier, delivered and collected bar magnet is itself a minute magnet, second story of the little red shackthe following: 994 letters, 256 cards, Hence the power of the magnet deall of two and one-half cents a bale. 3377 newspapers, 594 circulars and 128 pends entirely, in the first place, upon had christened the "Red Mountain lin"

packages making a total of 5380 pieces molecular arrangement. Conditions today are such that the delivered. 600 letters, 46 postals, and glass tube with steel filings, loosely This can be easily seen by filling a rival of the stage, and that some one good and the evil are alike walking 27 packages were collected, making a packed. At first these are all in disorter. She saw the determined looking was Araminta Crawford, Billy's daughtotal of 6041 pieces delivered and colder, but if a magnet is drawn over the man, with his aimost defiant air and lected. James D. Ward, carrier, on tube they begin to turn themselves his pale, sunken cheeks. As her faroute four, delivered 990 letters, 151 introut direction till perfect alignment, ther was showing the way upstairs she cards, 3332 newspapers, 796 circulars takes place, when the tube acquires heard the man's spasmodic cough, and and it packages, making a total of the properties of a magnet. her beart was filled with sudden pity

Maybe it is the city water that is 5346 pieces delivered, and 724 letters, pieces, each piece in turn becoming a seried corner of the world to die, for ed and collected, 6125 pieces. The molecules are arranged and no further of damaged breathing apparatus Araarount of postage cancelled on route effect takes place. The theory of mag-minta had seen the long boxes on the one amounted to \$14,25 while on route netic keepers closing the lines of force. trunk rack too often to put much faith thus preserving and not dissipating in it. the power, is also in accordance with . At supper time the young man was Saturday and Sunday, a number of the power, is also in accordance with. At supper time the young man was saturday and Sunday, a number of the sole guest in the guest in the sole guest in the gues power is still unknown.

### A TIRED BRAIN.

ence Who Can Cure It. Is "brain fag" to be regarded as the distinguishing feature of life in the iwentieth century? Following on this Lima, last Monday evening, and were alarming question comes a list of symp-There is no greatness without pen- well pleased with the performance. toms-pain round the sockets of "other-During the year 1903, exactly thirty ness excitement, etc. A obysician, in cemeteries of Shawnee township as is the most exquisitely delicate mechanfollows: Shawnee cemetery: Mr. is known to us, but 'mechanism' is a
Black Joseph Manners Mr. I inton Black, Joseph Manners, Mr. Linton, which can evolve a fiscal policy or a Mrs. Emily Musser, & Pierson and battleship, yet on which a sunbeam, a frank, maffected, good hearted, yet three children. Lutheran cemetery: most profound effects. Yet some wom-Mrs. David Brandt, Mrs. C. Sellers, en use this delicate machinery as no Daniel Shaffer, Mary Weaver, Mrs. carter would use a horse; many men Charles Ritchie, Wm Bowsher, Mr. do so. When the brain is tired, it does and John Mowery , adults, besides toms 'brain fag.' It is an excellent eleven small children. The number name. This disease is as old as the interred in these two cemeteries is hills, and it is on the increase. There somewhat less than what it was last is only one doctor in existence who can year, and somewhat less than the cure it. A brain fagged man I know door in Harley street seeking relief and finding none. One day he fortunately fell down and broke his leg. In came Dr. Rest and cured him. Dr. Common Sense is also a specialist on this disease, but he is rarely to be found at home."-London Mail.

> One hundredweight of clay loam soil and naval correspondents and printed will hold without dripping fifty pounds in the issue of that paper which reach- of water. This fact will explain the condition of our prairie sails when thes than favorable to Japan at sea, while month last year.

A Giant In Strength. "How's the baby getting on?" asked The naval expert admits, to start a family friend. "Growing bigger and

"He's growing bigger every day," said the proud father, "and he's plenty strong enough now to suit me. You remember what a tremendous voice he

A Volcano. "What is a volcano?" asked the teacher.

"A mountain with a fire inside," said and then ran swiftly into the house. can be handled therefore to great one. advantage, while the Russian fleet A smile of comprehension spread over drew up at Crawford's, Deming stood must adapt itself in action to the the puzzled face of the smallest schol- on the porch saying goodby to Billy capacity of its poorest vessel. In ar as she asked surprisedly, "Is that a "No hard feelin', I hope?" Billy was mountain range?"—Harper's Magazine, | saying.

Bard on Auntie. Ethel-Auntie, when will I be old behind Crawford's back he saw Ed enough to kiss really and truly? Auntio-When you're as old as I am,

eriority of fleet is the fact that Japan | Ethel. Ethel-But Uncle Jack says that's too old.-Detroit Free Press.

> Recovered. "Did your husband recover after his railway accident?" "No," replied the widow, "but I did

winds about Red mountain, you can look down a bluff and see the road twisting along below. Deming and Mints, looking down the bluff, caught sight of a solitary horseman riding madly along the rocks path. Deming leaned out the window. "Crawford's coming up the trail," he

shouted "It's \$50 m your pocket, Ed. if you land us at Madison Flats abend of him."

Dempsey let out his learn until the coach rocked and swayed, and the only other passenger, a thin, nervous man, clutched the seat and gasped. Then they heard Ed shouting to the

team. The pace slackened as be set brakes hard. Instinctively Deming opened the door and pushed Minta before him. At the same moment there was a crash, the coach toppied over, and he found himself pinned beneath the other passenger, who could not Minta scrambled from the dirt by the

roadside unburt, and Dempsey cut loose and pucified the struggling team. Then together they ran to the coach. Neither man within was hurt, but both were pluned down in the coach. An inspiration came to Ed Demosev.

He put his face close to the wrecked coaca.

"Say, in thar!" he called. "Are you the new minister for Cedar Creek?" "I am." was the response.

"Well," said Ed. "I reckon vou've goi your first job right here. You're layin' acrost the groom, an' the bride's here by me, an' daddy, madder 'n a wet hen. is comin' up the trail like thunder on a evelone. Git together, everybody,"

The imprisoned clergyman rose to the occasion.

"Can you manage to clasp each other's hands?" he asked simply. Then with the bride on her knees in the dirt clasping the hand of the groom, across whom lay the officiating he was given one of the stage horses clergyman, the ceremony was performed.

As it finished Billy Crawford galloped up. "What in thunder does this mean?"

he gasped. "It means," said Dempsey, "that you are just in time to help me git that doggoned coach off a your son-in-law, John Deming, and the Rev. Mr. Whitten, who performed the ceremony somewhat informal-like about five minutes

A Glimpse of Tenuveen.

Wilfrid Ward in "Problems and Persons" tells this, illustrating Tennyson's mixture of bashfulness and dormatism: If a stranger had come to see him the shyness and abstraction might last longer. I remember once going to Farrington with a friend-a true worshiper of his genius-and after the first words of greeting he seemed to be entirely in the clouds until, after long waiting, we hit upon a device to arouse him. A picture by Edward Lear hung in the room, and under it were four lines from "The Palace of Art:"

One seemed all dark and red, a tract of "And some one paring there slone

Who paced forever in a glimmering land Lit with a low, large moon. We were looking at the picture, and I said to my companion, "Read the lines." She read them, giving them a kind of metrical fingle. In a moment Tennyson, who had been standing alone at the other side of the room. stepped rapidly across, selzed her arm "My daughter, Minfa, Mr.-er-er- and said, "Don't read them like that," and went on with his deen, sa "Deming," the guest supplemented, voice to read, or, rather, chant, them turning to the girl. From that moment himself with the roll which was so well Jack Deming dated the beginning of known to his friends.

Wonders of Wales.

The wonders of Wales are: (1) Snewdon, the highest peak of southern Britwith a keenness of mind which accord | am; (2) Overton churchyard, Flintshire, with its yew trees of great antiquity; (3) the fine peal of bells of Gresford church, Denbighshire; (4) Llaugolien bridge, in the beautiful vale, built by Bishop Trevor in 1345, a up and down the lines four times, after singular structure of four pointed Yet the girl was womanly, quiet and arches, the two center spans being an hour's rest. Being stark naked, smaller than the two ends; (5) Wrexham church tower, a richly decorated a welt, and he was scarred from head structure of six stages, 135 feet high, to heel. on three sides of which are rows of saints in canopied niches; (6) Pystyl Bhaydr waterfall, Radnor, almost destroyed by alterations in the river bed in 1780; (7) St. Winifred's well, Holywell, around which cluster endiess tra-

> ditions. St. Winifred was martyred by Caradoc in the seventh century, and a chapel was built to her memory by Margaret. queen of Henry VII., in 1490, whither pilgrims have resorted from the earliest times, even down to 1894, leaving behand them votive offerings in the shape of crutches and invalid chairs.

She Knew the Reason.

He was smoking and musing over the ways of the world. "Odd, isn't it," he raid at last, "how few people attain their ideals in this world?"

"In what way?" inquired his wife suspicionsly, for she was not a woman to be caught off her guard. "Well," he replied slowly, "I was thinking of Wilmer when I spoke. He had an ideal woman that he was al-

ways talking about when he was in college. She was tall and stately in his dreams, and he seemed to have no place in his heart for a small woman. and yet--and yet"--"Wells"

"Why, he finally married a little thing who hardly comes to his shoulder I wonder why it was?"

"Perhaps, Fred," she said very slowly and distinctly, "he is like the majority of other men and was afraid to take any one of his size." He changed the subject.-New York Times.

The Polite Germans. Dempsey, the stage driver, helping a We Germans are not only the most Tyrenty minutes later, after the people in the world. Without ceremony it is not possible for us to present a . Ort. friend, to take a seat in a restaurant or to drink or even to atter a single word. house, "Minta! Where in tarnation is Consequently a people like the British. which ignores and utterly disregards "I done seen her gittin' into de stage, these customs, must appear to us a herd of labbers.—Frankfurter Zeitung.

(Copyright, 1965, by C. B. 14Wil-1 Joe Hall, one of the ablest government scouts that ever worked with the army against the Indians, had been captured by the Cheyennes between Forts Wallace and Lyon as he carried dianatches.

The tribe then had its beadquarters on the Smoky hill fork of the Republican river. It was after dark when they reached the town, and Hall was tied hand and foot and placed in a tepee and four guards stationed around it. A smell raiding party had that day captured a man belonging to the Sevonth cavalry wagon train. The Cheyennes had determined not to spare man, woman or child who fell into their hands, but after a powwow lasting an hour the teamster was brought out, and Roman Nose said to him:

"We have captured the Flying Horse (Hail), and we want all white men to know it. They will not believe us, but they will believe you. Come and see him."

He was led to the tepee, and Hall admitted his identity and charged him with some farewell messages to friends. He also gave him the dispatches he was to deliver, or rather asked Roman Nose to do so, and the chief then said: "Last your white brothers may know you have been a captive in our hands we will send them our mark."

The chief thereupon sliced off both of the teamster's ears and handed them to him to put in his pocket. The direction of Fort Wallace was pointed out, and and started off, reaching the post next forencon.

There did not appear to be one chance in a hundred for Hall to escape, but the village had no sooner become quiet than he began to plan. He was so triced up that it was impossible to free himself. He worked at his lashings for an hour or so and then gave up the attempt.

He knew the situation of the village and the country around it, and he finally decided that his opportunity would come next day when taken out to run the gantlet. No matter what the rest of the programme was, this portion or preface was never omitted. The Indians seemed to get more amusement out of it than any other part.

When morning came Hall's arms were cast loose, and he was provided with a bearty breakfast. The Indians knew he was game, and they wanted him to keep his full strength and last as long as possible. He had also ar object in view and ate all they brought him. It was about 9 o'clock when he was

taken out to run the cantlet. All his lashings were cost off, a rope tied around his waist, and he was exercised for fifteen minutes to himber him up. There were about 400 bucks in the

lines as they were presently formed. In most instances the warriors are allowed to strike with clubs, the handles of tomahawks or hickory bows, but in this case only switches were used. Hall was a swift runner, and his plan was to make a bolt as soon as he reachthe west end of the line. To he chagrin he found a dozen mounted warriors placed to head off any such at tempt. He made it, however. Rnn ning down the lines at the top of his speed and receiving a cut from almost every warrior as he passed, he broke out on the prairie and ran for his life. The pursuing Indians could have kill

cd him, but the idea was recapture. He got two full miles from camp and dodged them for an hour before this was no complished. He was then made to pass which he was returned to the tepec for every blow of the switches had taised

The next move on the programme was to bind him to a tree and throw knives and tomabawks at him. The idea was to torture his mind, but some of the weapons slightly wounded him, and those who threw them were laughed at as bunglers. Hall won the admiration of all the warriors by his display of nerve during the trying or-At noon he was taken back to the

lodge and given another hearty meat and an hour later was brought out to be tied to the stake. Before this had been accomplished an old huffalo buil pursued by woives dashed into the herd of povies about half a mile away and started a panic and a stampede There were 600 ponies in the herd, and they made straight for the village, and so sudden was the alarm that for the moment everybody was upset The general idea was that an attack

was being made by the soldiers, and there was a rush in every direction for weapons. Hall and his guards were knocked

down like tenpins, but the instant he was free he rose up among the horses and ran with them, yelling to keep them going. He was carried along for a mile or more and then suddenly caught sight of his own mule. She was as obedient to his whistle as

a dog, and he was soon on her back. It was not until the herd had covered a distance of five miles that the paule subsided, and this gave Hall a long start. He was riding without saddle or bridle, but that was no trick for a scout. He headed for Fort Wallree, and, though pursued to within a mile of the post, he got in safely. His pursucrs numbered fifty, and some of them urged their ponies to such speed that polite, but also the most ceremonious the animals dropped exhausted and Fere abandoned within sight of the M. QUAD.

> Success is nothing more than the result of doing whatever you can do not only well, but just a little better than enybody else,-Maxwell's Talisman.

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The great Herrick pageant will take

killing the microbes which make small- 27 postals and 9 packages, making magnet, confirms this theory. So does despite the reputation of the climate of pox, and hence there is none of it in 779 pieces collected. Number deliver- saturation, as it is called, when the the Red mountain district as a healer Applogy is offered today for the fact

With the advance of whalebone to bogs and sheep were known to freeze fifteen thousand dollars a ton, the to death. J. O. Breese was one of price recorded in London yesterday, it the losers, he having several fine will be necessary for the average wo. hogs of an extra variety to succumb There is Only One Dector in Existman to look about for something else to the excessive cold.

herself. alty. It has been less than ten days Miss Orpha Howard visited rela- wise healthy eyes," exhaustion followsince Lorse was chosen president of tives in Indiana, a part of last week. Ing upon reading, thinking or any busithe Rock Island system, and there are those who intimate his coming may interments were made in the two snswer to an inquiry, said; "The brain

Accidents in which many persons are killed are becoming so frequent, Charles Weisenmyer, adults, besides shadow or a perfume produces the three people in any one casualty is considered a common place happening. And this keeping pace of killing with the growth of wealth, and its con-centration into a few hands is the re-

It has leaked out that the reason i Harding's salary has been increased year 1901 when the average was one spent some months going from door to a week, or fifty-two during the year. from eight hundred to fifteen hundred dollars, is because he has the ability FIGHTING STRENGTH OF JAPAN cause Harding is a publisher, but it is rather a high smelling slur on the able estimate of the relative fighting

A story comes from Delaware, Ohio, ed this city yesterday. The outlook, that the police there have taken into according to these experts, is more had to take care of a foot of water a custody, and for care, a tramp whose feet, hands and face were badly froz- there is at least an even chance for en, whose body exuded an odor that her on land, says the Chicago Record would put to sleep that arising from | Herald. the lillies of the field, and who carried out the latest Chicago idea against with, that there are factors on both stronger every day. I suppose?" , bathing, it having been thirteen years sides which are hard to determine, but since he had plunged into a bath of he gives us the benefit of all the violet or any other kind of water. The knowledge available. He compares story is a good one, and would hold the Japanese fleet with the Russian water, if it had refrained from saying ships which are either in the far east ago? Well, it's still more tremendous to burn and ago. He's got money to burn and that the tramp's "feet, hands and face or are now on their way there. Japan now, yet he lifts it a dosen times a were frozen." It is hard to believe has six battleships to Russia's eight, day.

water and then balk every effort to se cure it, are now driving the stakes to postpone a supply of it for another year, at least.-Columbus Citizen.

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of the Sanducky Registrue pointers on what in Ohio means, and ust cared enough to e really is, and can do. give the matter the that the following is of The Register says; session of the Ohio Wo-

he speakers was Mrs. president of the Ameri-Suffrage Association e in a resident of Penna native of New York. a fine stump speaker world if she wishes to next three months. ir the suffrage. She dedenounced the laws, de government, in fact deeverything. She dwelt the question of woman's s and declared that in states women did not clothes on their backs, n nothing; that a woalk to the altar on the she was to marry and be red thousand dollars in

her own. the state of Oblo permarried or single to reseession of her property earned it herself before herited it as a gift after is her property to do pleases in exactly the at a man's property be o do with as he pleases. the laws of Ohio, a huse contract toward each ons of mutual respect, ipport. The law makes the head of the family. se any remonable place ode of life and the wife thereto. It does this kes him responsible for his wife and children erty or by his labor and, es him the right to of residence because he f work or business. If he cannot get employ-Wn by which he can supy and can get it in anchoose his residence in re he gets the business t and his wife must go c. That is probably the the main reason why a

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closed the year 1963 with a record of 2022 completed locomotives turned Construction of out This output surpasses any previous record in the history of this great industrial establishment, exceeding its pievious best records of 1533 locomotives in 1502 by fully 33 1-3 per cent. In addition to the 2022 completed locomotives there were turned out of the works during the year duplicate or repair parts equivalent to about 313 completed locomotives. Of the completed locomotives 1965 were for service in the United States and 56 for service in the following countries: China, Cobs. Japan, Yucatan, Hawaii, British Columbia, Peru, Costa Rica, Mexico, Newfoundland, England. Brazil, Nicaragua and Porto Rico. Compound cylinders were applied to 300 locomotives, while 85 were operated by electricity and six by air. The value of this large output approximate Association in this ed about \$25,000,000 and represented the united efforts of a weekly average of 14,720 men, working 10 hours per day, some on day turn and some on night turn. Regardless of what the new year may have in store, the firm has at present on hand orders sufficialtogether the wisest ent to keep the big plant busy for the

Engineer Hebert Recovering.

Engineer Oliver Hebert, who was njured in the Larwill wreck, two weeks ago, has reached the point in his convalescence where he is able to walk about the hospital says the Ft. Wayne Sentinel, and all that prevents his going home is the cold weather. the attending surgeon believing it unwise to allow him to make the change until the weather becomes warmer. Elmer Stafford, the fireman, who was and when she walked injured in the same wreck, is also realtar not have a dollar covering as rapidly as could be expected, though it will be some weeks before he can leave the hospital. The burns on his arm and hip have reached the most painful stage and he is suffering considerably.

St. Marys Is Grouchy.

The St. Marya News says the following.: "The Lake Eric & Western and the C. H. & D. are both getting after the Western Ohio traction line in the way of cutting rates and already it is said their action is naving a noticeable effect on the passenger traffic of the latter. A conductor on the Lake Erie said to the Dally News yesterday, that their passenger busitravel from St. Marys to Lima than at any time since the Western Ohio beceded by almost everybody that a is well known about town. great mistake was made when the "Peck sat between two of the visi-Minster to Sidney."

Penna. Spends Big Sum.

vania railroad spent in the aggregate ed off the pot, and, when it came to a \$50,000,000 for improvements, a larger show down, Peck's four aces looked period in the history of the road. Of faction of seeing his diamond stud, the amount named, \$20,000,000 alone his gold watch and \$300 in money was spent in the maintenance of way shoved into the pocket of the man who department, while the remainder was held the straight flush. expended by the engineering depart-

SWEEP SALE?

NAMES OF THOSE WHO WILL NOMINATE HIM.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—It is definitely, stated that Senator Shallenberger, of Cuyahoga, will place Senator Hanna in nomination in the senate next Tuesday, and that Representative F. W. Treadway, of Cuyahoga, will secure the much coveted honor in the house. The bodies will hold the joint the beadle, standing at the back of the session for final election, Wednesday, crowd, and he shouted out: ---

### PRIMARIES ON SAME DAY.

Columbus, O., Jan. 7.—Representaeping such relations tive Bronson, of Franklin county, er who are not married. slated for chairman of the house comerson, man or women, mittee on elections will introduce d and dispose of prop- next week, his primary election bill iersonal, the same us if which is in effect a revival of the old either the husband nor Thurman bill. It will provide for the such is answerable for holding of primaries on the same day hear divine service and is a common

### JURY SECURED.

Omeha, Neb., Jan. 7.-A jury to try and in a suit at law, It the case of Senator Dietrich, charged dons the husband, he is with bribery, was secured in the U.

sconduct in abandoning WANTED-GIRLS TO LEARN THE CIGAR MAKING TRADE, WILL DE WELL PAID WHILE LEARNING. TOBACCO STRIPPERS AL\$0 WANTED, CAN EARN

### SAM

Ketsler in Jail in Cincinnati.

### He Is Thought

To Be One of a Quartette of Crooks

Who Have Been "Fleecing" Sports in the Queen City.

Race Horse Tickets Are Said to Have Been Poddled and Purchasers Had "Rary" a Chance to Win.

According to the Enquirer, today, "Sammy" Hetsler, a well known allaround sporting man of this city, and proprietor of the Pennsylvania house, opposite the P. Ft. W. & C, depot, is in trouble in Cincinnati. The Enquir-

"Geo. Bradler, of 705 Delta avenue,

Sam Hetsler, of Lima, Ohio; James W. Fry, of 413 west Eighth street and W. H. Puthoff, of 416 John street, were arrested yesterday afternoon by Detectives Burkholz and McQuestion and locked up at Central station on the charge of loltering. The arresting officers are of the opinion that the apprehension of the men has temporarily put a stop to crooked operations that have been the means of separating several well known men from their got off by buying champagne for the money. It is claimed that two of the men were included in the recent edict by Chief O'Neill, of Chicago, in effect that all persons without visible means of support shall be driven out of that city.

"The specialty of the quartet, so the police allege, is to dispense race horse information. This they sold to various men about town, making out a ticket on the race that was in question. If the horse won, the men decamped with the money that the victim put up in their hands. On the other hand, if the horse lost the "tout" tore up the ticket and was not compelled to seek new fields. There was no chance on earth for the victim to Eshest form of bird reasoning which

"The police say that several comnizints have been received at headquarters from men who did not care to have their names mentioned. It is believed that several hundred dollars was lost in this manner. Robert Diehl ness from Celina to Lima is increasing is the name of one gentleman who fell he can buy a sulfable damsel for a rapidly and that there was also more a victim to the allurements of the pair of shoes. A Kaffir girl is worth, quartet.

"Dispensing bad information at the gan business now nearly two years pool rooms is, however, not the only molecular beauty and open the only molecular beauty and open the only molecular beauty and open the open of the most tens. The report received here it becomes a habit of the most tens. ago, while a conductor on the Western scheme the men have worked to ob-Ohio admitted that their business was tain money. At least two of them are very light between Wapakoneta and expert card men. Among their vic- ther has been pacified by a present of Sidney and took the position now con- time in this line is Johnnie Peck, who rice and a few rupees,

owners of the road changed their tors, and he was given four aces. The original purpose of building from man at his right had a straight flush and the one at his left a full hand. Naturally the raises were large, and During the year 1903, the Pennsyl- they came rapidly. The limit was pull-

"The detectives are hot on the trail of an old man named Thompson, who HAVE YOU BEEN TO MICHAEL'S is said to have chaperoned the crowd. He wears clothes of a ministerial cut and looks like a country parson."

> SNAPS FOR SNAP HUNTERS AT MICHAEL'S SWEEP SALE.

> > A Witty Scot.

At an auction sale in a Scotland village the auctioneer was trying to sell a number of domestic utensils, including a porridge pot. As usual he was making a great fusa. Finishing, his keen eye caught a well known worthy,

"Maister McTavish, make an offer for this pot! Why, it would make a splendid kirk bell!"

"Aye," replied the bendle, "It your tongue was in it!"

John Bunyan. The bill of indictment preferred against John Bunyan ran thus: "John Bunyan bath devilishly and perniciously abstained from coming to church to upholder of several unlawful meetings and conventicles, to the disturbance and distraction of the good subjects of this kingdom, contrary to the laws of our sovereign lord the king." He was convicted and imprisoned twelve years and six months.

Cruel Pate "Did you see that pale young man calling out 'Cash!' at the ribbon coun-

"You." Ten years ago, when we were boys to-

"Fate is awfully funny sometimes. good gether, his one ambition was to be a WAREL THE DEISEL-WEMMER mighty hunter and crick mountain liena with a lasso."

Nature through the active agency of the rains, winds and even the dust

amnetimes performs wonderful things in the strange fushioning of the obdurate stone into forms resembling the human face. On the very summit of Crushed by Wheels Mount Tamalpais, a lofty peak that stands about twelve miles from the city of San Francisco, is a most remarkable profile wrought in the solid

end of the railroad that leads up to the mountain's summit, on the trail that circles the crest of the peak, brings one to the Old Lady herself. This A Well-Known Brakethe path where it narrows on a rocky

The profile is perfect. The seams and creases made by the centuries of weather are like lines of care and age worn in the human face. No one, however aged in our Worldly years, can remember when the Old Lady was young. However, when one passes farward the outline of the wrinkled visage is lost, and instead the eye can dimly trace the features of a woman young and as beautiful as an Egyptian princess.

He Mad Money Before. Colonel Carr was traveling in New

Mexico once, when he ran into a party consisting of Senator Tabor and his friends. It was only a few months aftor Tabor had "struck it rich." Prior to that event lie had possessed scarcely enough to buy a postage stamp, but he was making up for lost time.

Carr had lost his watch key and began inquiring for one. Mr. Taber thought this a great joke, "The idea of a man wanting a watch key in the nineteenth century!" he said. After chuckling over it for some time he turned to Carr and asked an explana-"I want to understand it-a watch key! And a man as up to date

It was a center shot and was greeted

by a roar from the entire car. Tabor

An Intelligent Bird.

A species of woodpecker inhabits the driest parts of Mexico, where during the droughts it must die of starvation unless it made a store. To prevent this it selects the hollow stem of a species of aloe, the hore of which is just large enough to hold a nut. The woodpecker drills holes at interests in the stees and fills it from bottom to top with the nuts, the separate holes being apparently made for convenience of access to the column of nuts within.

the woodpecker to lay by only the nuts, which will keep and not the insects, which would decay, is perhaps the has yet been observed.

Buying a Wife.

In Uganda a man can buy a hand- the C. & E. yard force. some wife for four buils, a box of cartridges and six needles, and if he has the luck to go a-woolng when woman happens to be a drug on the market India no girl can marry unless her fa-

Water on Battleshins.

fresh water are used in a large battletaken up by the boilers, and the recooking, etc. When the store which has been used up a vessel has to desupplies. Every modern warship is fitted with evaporating machinery to distill the sait sea water.

Foreman (explaining the accident to the owner of the building)-Barney was but over his sore feet soft moccasins working on the roof, sir, and he slipped and fell the whole four stories, bringing the cornice down with him, sir, and breaking both his legs and half his ribs.

tended that cornice to come down in ever induce him to track an Indian. any case.

Charity Begins at Home.

this festive occasion to pass away with- Thanet, Kent, England, was known out remembering the poor. In one of throughout Europe as the "Kentish my houses there lives a poor clerk Hercules," or the "Second Samson." whom I shall have to evict tomorrow When but a youth of seventeen years unless he can pay his arrears of rent he was invited to London by the king Dorfbarbler.

Transformation.

ered that the dish was cold. Calling of his epitaph; the servant, he exclaimed, "Here, Herculean hero, famed for strongth Mary, take this fabbit out and 'cat it and bring it back a little 'otter!"

A Slander. The Lady-Lauve you a piece of pie

when she's here."

last week, and you've been sending your friends here ever since. The Tramp - You're mistaken, lady, Them was my enemies.-Judge.

Economical. "Doesn't it cost you a good deal to run this yacht, old man? "Yes, but my wife can't spend a cent

Harriman Named.

Union Pacific railroad company.

LEG

of a Train.

Just a few minutes' walk from the George Potter,

man, Injured.

Fell Between Cars on C. H. & D. at Leipsic Last Night.

ther along the path and looks back. Brought to This City Early This Merning-Left Leg Ampttated by Physicians at Hespital.

> George K. Potter, son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Petter, of west Spring street, suffered the amoutation of his left leg, below the knee, on the operating table in the city hospital early this morning, the amputation being made necessary by a railroad accident that befel the young man at Leipsic about 10 o'clock ast night.

Potter was employ . as a brakeman on the C. H. & D. and was braking for Conductor Lowery on a south bound extra when the aecident occurred. The crew stopped at Leipsic, either to "Well, the fact is," responded the set off or to "pick up" some cars and colonel, "I had enough money to bny a Potter was walking between the ends watch before stem winders came into of two cars endeavoring to open the knuckle of an automatic coupler when he slipped on a frosty rail and fell. His left leg fell across the rail and was caught by the wheels of the car before the could recover himself from the fall.

The leg was badly mangled below the knee and the injured man, after receiving temporary medical attention at Leipsic, was brought to this city on passenger train No. 7, which arrived here at 2 o'clock this morning, and was removed to the city hospital in Bennett's ambulance. Dr. Chas. Collins the company's surgeon, found amputation of the injured leg was The intelligence which not only con- necessary and the operation was perstructs a special storehouse, but teaches formed as soon as the patient was prepared for it. He stood the operation well and today, was reported to be resting as well as could be expect

> The injured brakeman is a brother of Yard Foreman Charles I. Potter, of

Accident on the L. E. & W. A cut of cars got away from a train

dock at Portland, Ind., today and went is a fact just the same. It may be the over the dock, causing quite a wreck. right foot that is used or it may be the sadly exclaim. At a meeting at Some according to the rank of her family, The wreck train and crew from this from four to ten cows, and in Tartary city was sent to Portland so clear the all the time. wreck.

Gratitude of a Dog. Olive Thorne Miller tells of a dog which belonged to a colonial family As nearly as possible 8,000 gallons of and was particularly noted for his antipathy to Indians, whom he delighted ship daily. About two-thirds of this is to track. On one campaign against in time to take it. The same thing hapthe French this dog insisted on accommainder is used for drinking, washing, panying his master, although his feet were in a terrible condition from havshe has taken out with her from port ing been frozen during the previous winter. During the fight which ended sum than was spent during any like like two duces, and he had the satis- pend upon her evaporators for further in the famous Braddock's defeat he became separated from his master, and the latter, supposing him killed, went home without him. Some weeks later. however, the dog appeared in his old home, which was many miles from the battlefield. He was tired and worn, were fastened, showing that he had I am telling you is a fact."-Philadelbeen among Indians and that they had taken especial pains to be kind to him. Thereafter, though he showed great joy at being again among his own peo-Owner-Oh, well, never mind! I in- ple, neither threats nor bribes could

Richard Joy, who died May 18, 1742, Wealthy Merchant (at an evening at the age of sixty-seven and is buried party)-Gentlemen, we will not allow in the St. Peter's churchyard, isle of feats of strength. Among the feats breaking with his hands and feet a guests to dinner and was about to help five hundredweight and the lifting of them to some rabbit when he discov- 2,200 pounds. The fellowing is a copy

> At last lies here, his breadth and length. how the mighty man is failen! The same judgment doth befall Goliath great and David small.

> > Antiquity of Masks.

Masks are of very ancient origin. In a tomb 3,000 years old at Mycense Dr. Schliemann found two bodies with faces covered by masks of gold. One of the masks represented the head of a lion. Among ancient G wks the lion mask was a sign of distinction. With the Peruvians of old it was a mark of royal lineage. In a grave of considerable antiquity in Ports a silver mask was found on the head of a mummy. The mummy of a prince who lived in Now York, Jan. 7.-E. H. Harriman, the reign of Rameses II., discovered in yard, a bookseller who published some was today elected president of the a small vault at Memphis, in Egypt, had a mask of gold leaf over the face.

## CHILDREN'S COATS.

Every day some new bargains are added to our big January Sale. Tomorrow morning our entire stock of Children's Coats will be put into one lot and marked your choice for \$1.98. Some of them were \$10. many of them \$7.98, the most of them were \$5.00. All sizes to start with from ages 2 to 14 years.

### LADIES' WAISTS.

Ladies' Waists that were \$1.00 and \$1.50 for tomorrow's selling at 39c each.

A few Velvet Waists in the 39c lot.

### CARROLL & COONEY.

Stepping to the Curb

"Did you ever notice," said the man who prides himself on his powers of observation. "that every one uses the same foot almost every time in stepping up or down the curb at a street left, but it is the same one pretty much

tary actions of the nervous system the nerves of the eye and the leg and foot tance to be traversed before the final pens when the curb on the other side

of the street is reached. "Sometimes, especially when one is keeping tab on your own steps, for in so doing your will power will come into play and you will use whichever foot you please. Just watch some other fellow, and you will find out that what phia Press.

A Stag Hant.

"I shall never forget an experience I hunted all day long without even seelog to rest and to meditate on my bad tween Claude's "Seaport" and "Mill," tuck, when all of a sudden I looked up Golden Penny. and saw a big buck making a dead line for me!

"He threw up his flag as soon as be though. I collected myself and brought troit Free Press.

Punny Old Signe.

Fot." had its beginning in the early three legged iron pot which it has over-Dog" and "The Dog and the Duck." "The White Greybound" was the sign of John Harrison in St. Paul's churchof Shakespeare's early works -- St.

### TURNER'S AMBITION.

Great Painter Achieved It by Years of Self Sacrifice. Turner could not bear to sell a favor-

ite painting. He was always melancrew on the L. E. & W. at the coal crossing? Maybe you haven't, but it choir after such a transaction. "I lost one of my children this week," he would erset House it was decided to purchase his two great pictures, the "Rise" and unless he gets a good quantity of but-stated that no one was injured in the clous kind. By one of those involun-"A noble offer," said the painter, "a noble offer; but, no, I cannot part with work in unison. The eye of a person them. Impossible." Mr. Griffiths. approaching a crossing gauges the dis. greatly disappointed, took his leave Turner ran after him. "Tell those genstep is taken, and the stride is regular. tlemen," he said, "that the nation will ed to bring the favorite foot forward most likely have the pictures after all." Long before this Turner had matured a purpose which continued to be his dominant idea while life lasted. This was to bequeatly to his country a Turwalking rapidly or when the street is ner gallery of pictures and to amass crowded, it takes a deal of jockeying £100,000 to build and endow an asylum to get the chosen foot into position, but for decayed artists. It was for this the rule is seldom broken. You needn't great object that he denied himself all try to find the truth of this principle by pleasures that cost money, all luxuries. His resolve, once made, could not be shaken. On one occasion he was offered £100,000 for the art treasures locked up in the "den." "Give me the key of the house, Mr. Turner," said Liverpool merchant, "and here is the money." "No, thank you," replied Turner. "I have refused a better of fer." And that was true. By his will he bequeathed £140,000 to found an asyhad one winter," said a visitor from lum for poor artists born in Eugland northern Michigan. "It was during the and a magnificent art collection in his deer season when I went out alone one country. This latter bequest was, how day to see what I could get. Well, I ever, coupled with the condition that his "Rise" and "Fall of Carthage" should ing a deer. Finally I sat down on a be bung in the National gallery be-

The Wilmington Giant.

The "Long Man of Wilmington," popscented me, and I had buck fever for plarly known as the "Wilmington Gle by then. Fritz, hand a plate around.— to give an exhibition in remarkable an instant. There we were, both mo- ant," is a rude, gigantic figure of a man tionless, each staring at the other and 240 feet in length, with arms extended of his more mature years were those of both frightened stiff. The next instant, upward and in each hand holding a long staff in a position parallel with the An English farmer had a number of rope with a tensile strength of thirty- him down with a shot. It seemed a body. The distance between these queer thing to me that after I'd hunted staves is 110 feet. The figure is well all day long without success that big proportioned and reclines with both deer should come walking right into legs outstretched. It lies carved on a the nozzle of my gun. But I suppose bold bluff of the downs facing the that's the way with the world."-De- weald and forms a conspicuous landmark for miles round, especially when the light falls on it at a particular augle. There is a similar figure at Cerns One of the most notable of old Lon- Abbas, in Dorsetshire, and, as both are don signs, "The Dog's Head In the Iron near religious houses, it is supposed." that they may have been the work of years of the reign of that same bluff the inmates. The slope to the south King Hal. It stands out, a lonely fig. of the priory, on which the figure is ure, on Blackfriars road at the corner cut, bends downward at an angle of of Charlotte streat, the sign of a whole- fifty degrees, and the giant was origsale ironmonger's establishment. The inally marked out by removing the turt dog is in the act of eating out of a and exposing the glaring white chalk beneath. In course of time the outlines turned. There were also "The Black became grass grown and could only be seen at certain seasons, so in 1873 a movement was get on foot for re-marking the whole figure. This was successfully accomplished, the outline being plainly marked out by white bricks. London News.

Copperight, 1840, by T. C. McChure D-D-C-D-D-D-D-D-D-D-D-D-D-D-D

We were heading off the Indians as they raided the Kansas frontier when we found Wigwag concealed in the williams along the banks of a creek. He was a boy of twelve, and his father, mother and two sisters had been massacred. He was handed over to a teamster and taken to Carry Supply, and but for the excitement of campaigning he would have been sent off somewhere soon. As it was, he bung about with the teamsters for several weeks, no one giving him any particular attention, and then a sutler took him on. Wigwag was not enthusiastic over horses, guns or uniforms; but, queerly enough, be took to the signal corps. From the first moment he saw the men talking with each other through the medium of the signal fing his admiration was excited, and he began to pick up the system. He got little encouragement from any one, as all had enough to see to, but the lad had a head for the work, and he picked it up until within four or five months his flags could "talk" as well as any.

strong to give the Indians a rub. No one was greatly curprised after we had left the forty miles behind us to find Wigwag on hand. He had "jumped" the sutler, "lifted" a mule and followed after, and there was no sending him back. There wasn't a private soldier of teamster who wouldn't have shared rations with him, and such officers as knew of his presence winked at the breach of orders and said nothing. The bey had made signal flags for himself. and had them with him, but they were looked upon as playthings by most of the troopers.

Big Fork and the Big Salt, scattering the hostiles whenever they made a stand, and at length crossed the Canadian river and forced the red men back on the Wichlin mountains, down on the Indian Territory line. We had them on the run and meant to keep them going. Just at sundown one evening as we were almost under the shadow of the mountains Wigwag was cut off and captured. His mule had gone lame and was legging behind. An effort was made to rescue him, but his captors got away with their prisoner, and my a beart sorrowed that night over



the boy's fate. Our long and flerce pursuit had maddened the Indians and they would certainly put their prisoners to the torture.

skins must fall back through Trapper's pass in the foothills. We knew it to be It debouched upon the plains. We made camp within half a mile of the entrance of the pass, and every trooper knew that we had driven at least 2,000 warriors ahead of us. Would they continue their flight or wait for us on the plains beyond and have it out? The general idea was that the morrow would witness a big fight, and daylight had scurcely dawned after a night without alarm when our camp without having taken due precautions. spur of the mountain and see what could be seen. When the man had reached a height of 1,500 feet he signaied for a flagman to come up to him. Looking away to the south he had caught sight of flags wigwagging in the clear atmosphere of the morning. The person waving them was stationed on another and higher spor, and for some time it was looked upon as a mysterious proceeding. The signal man had scarcely climbed up beside the scout when the mystery was solved. It was our Wigwag trying to open a "talk" with his flags. When his signals wore answered he went at it and spelled out the words:

"I got up here in the night. Don't enfer the pass. There are a thousand indians in ambush there. The whole force is about 2,000 strong."

"Have you oscaped?" asked our sig-

"No, not yet," came the reply. "The indians are below me, and I can climb ue higher" "Can't you get away to us before we

Move." "No, but I shall bide here until the

Indians leave." "What sort of an ambush have they prepared?"

"Indians in the bushes on both sides Handy Adoptations of Useful Standof the pass. If you ride is not a man will get out alive." "Is there any other way to attack

The first two figures show conventences originally sketched in the Farm them?" was asked. Journal, which save of them: "I think I can make out a pass two This crate should be shout three feet or three miles to the left. If it is one it

will bring you in behind the reds." It took an hour or more to get this information, and then we acted on it and flanked the Indians out of the pass and smote them hip and thigh as they streamed out on the plain. When the fight was over we wert up the pass to look for Wigwag, but our search was in vain. We found, however, that his flags had prevented a slaughter. Every rock and bush for two miles had saeltered an Indian, and once into the trap we could not have retreated. Though we had to ride away without news of the lad, we hourly hoped to be joined by him, but ne did not come. It

was a year later before we knew his fate. What we got came from one of the Indians who were there. The only good news was that they had not tortured the boy, being too busy with other affairs. In the night be had managed to cast off his bonds, work his way past scores of sleeping warriors with his flags under his arm, and, knowing that he could not pass out of the gorge, he had climbed up the monntain with the hope of opening communication with us when daylight came. This he successfully accomplished, and he had flugged the information recorded above before the excited Indians be to hitch the team to, like the cut. The low had caught aight of him. When they saw what he was up to a warrior was told off to bring the boy flown with well for him. If the beam of the plow a bullet. They feared to discharge more than one rifle at a time, as we might suspect some ruse. The warrior had a fair mark, though far above him. and he had coolly fired a score of times becore his bullet found its billet. It seemed as if Providence was shielding the lad until he could tell all he had to

"Tell the general that the reda"- he had flagged. And then the white walt went down to rise no more. He had any method which requires the hunlost his own life, but he had saved 600 diing of liquid manure is objectionable men from slaughter.

The First Gold Rush,

The voyage of the argonauts, the date of which is uncertain, was professedly a rush for gold, to be collected in feeces placed in the torrents flowing down the flanks of Mount Caucasus. But older much was the westward morement, which Chaldean records of 3800 B. C. chronicle, to the gold bearing land of Melukkha, afterward known as Midian. Later on, but still at a very early

period, there was a rush from Egypt. to a spot inland from the present Suakin. Long afterward this was described by Diodorus Siculus who left a map, still extant, showing the wells provided for the gold seekers between the Red sea and the mines. About 1000 B. C. there seems to have

been another rush of miners in search of gold into South Africa. Its numbers can only be guessed at from the extensive remains that still exist, but it has been calculated that at least \$350,000,000 was secured by these early adventurers. In modern times the first rush was

that to California in 1848-49.

The Wicked Multiplication Table. A minister was hearing his Sunday school repeat the catechism one Sunday preceding confirmation when a boy from the class of small children ventured to ask a question of the min-

Turning to the clergyman, the boy inquired in an anxious tone, "Why does the multiplication table make people wicked?"

The minister thought at first that the child had taken occasion to propound a conundrum at a most unseemly time and was about to reprove him when the enruestness of the expression in the upturned face assured him that the question was asked in good faith and required a reply.

"Why do you ask such a question, John? I never knew it to do so," he said.

John turned to his catechism and read from it with a mystified air the question, "Did man grow worse as be began to multiply?" and the accompanying answer. "He did."

Not a Good Mechanic

Intelligence is more than books and letters—it is knowledge of the forces of nature and ingenuity enough to use them for human service. The negro is generally acknowledged to be lacking in "the mechanical idea." In Africa he bardly knows the simplest mechanical principles, such as that of the lever. In America the brightest of negroes were trained during slavery by The hinges are old pieces of leather their masters in the handicrafts, such as carpentry, shoemaking, spinning, weaving, blacksmithing, tailoring, and Make a cross to hang over the barrel, so on. A plantation became a self supporting unit under the oversight and discipline of the whites, but the work blanket over the cross to confine the of the negro artisons was "for the most part careless and inefficient." Since be placed in a pan. Great care must be emancipation the young generation has not learned the mechanical trades to the same extent as the slave generations. Moreover, as machinery supplants tools and factories supplant handlerafts the negro is left still farther behind. - John R. Commons in Chautauouan.

The early winter losses of sheep up in the mountain ranges of Oregon and Washington were enormous, estimated at 50 per cent of the focks.

No Kneenzagement Reeded. Her Father-What? You say you're engaged to Fred! I thought I told you not to give him any encouragement? His Daughter-I don't. He doesn't meed any,-New Yorker,



FARM CONVENIENCES.

and Articles.

thus be set upon the wagon bed in an

instant and will be found most useful

in moving calves, sheep, pigs or other

same way for winter use. It is also

be hinged to let down, as shown. It c

CRATE, PLOW AND MOVABLE HURDLE.

extension rods on the play and a clevia

sketch was sent us by one of our read-

ers in Kansas, and he says it works

course be adjusted before the rods are

The lower figure shows two views of

portable sheep fencing used at the Col-

orado experiment station. It is easy to

more about and set up and very readily

Protecting Manura.

Commenting upon manure pits, Coun-

try Gentleman says: We believe that

occurse impracticable. The best meth-

ad is to use plenty of bedding to ab-

forb all the liquid manure and keep

the stuble dry and sweet. This manure

may be hauled directly to the field, but

since it is not possible to get upon the

land at all times and may be incon-

venient for other reasons the most de-

sirable method is to store the manure

under cover until it can be convenient-

ly placed on the land. The writer a

few years ago constructed a shed for

the double purpose of holding the ma-

nure produced by forty cows and

twelve horses and to serve as shelter

for the cows during the stormy days

when they were turned out for water.

sunshine and exercise. This shed was

28 by 96 feet, being closed on three

sides and open on one long side which

faced the cast. The cattle could stay

under the shed or out in the open yard,

and somewhat to our surprise they

usually chose to stay out in the open,

enjoying the sunshine, but sheltered

The Bent That Give Winter Eggs.

shape for winter. Mend the windows

and clean the glass. Coat felt roofs

with hot coal tar and sprinkle with

fine, sharp sand. Bank the walls out-

side with earth and leaves covered

with boards. Store a few loads of

gravel and dig earth. Arrange to make

the roosting place extra warm by lining

the walls and use of curtains. Hens

which roost warm by night and keep

dry and busy by day will lay winter

eggs. If new houses are needed now

is the last chance for the season.-

Smoking Ment.

Where one has but a little meat to

smoke a barrel can often be used for

this purpose. A correspondent sends us

the following plan, which he vouches

for as perfectly satisfactory, says Or-

ange Judd Farmer: A sugar barrel or

other barrel of large size is preferable.

With a keyhole saw cut a door near

the bottom through two or three staves.

After sawing the door nail a strip

across the staves to hold them together.

tacked fast and may be put at the side,

or the door may be hung from the top.

and from the hooks suspend the meat,

When the meat is in place throw a

smoke and light the fire, which should

taken with the fire so as not to burn up

Wifen Sentaing Plat.

fuls of pitch in the water and a hand-

ful in each succeeding heat. Little or

no shaving of the pig is required.

Smoke the meat three days, naving a

very bot fire the first day and using

two bounds of sulphur in the fire the

last two days. Neither files nor mice

will touch the ment. - Orange Judd

When scalding pigs put three hand-

the meat or the barrel.

Parmer.

American Cultivator.

Poultry houses should be put in

from the west and porth winds.

boited to the handles.

quarters of an inch thick.

SPECIAL RATES TO COLUMBUS.

The Chicago and Eric R. R. will sell round trip tickets at one fare rate. Jan. 10th and 11th, good returning Jan. 12th. Trains leave at 5:57 u. m., 8:21 a. m. and 4:25 p. m. W. S. MORRISON, Agt.

STOP IT. A neglected cough or cold may lead

to serious bronchial or lung troubles. Don't take chances when Foley's Honey and Tar affords perfect security high and acted with sidepleces extend- from serious effects of a cold. For ing below it that will just fit into the sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North side irons of the wagon body. It can and Main street,

Ose Difference. Admirer-Yes, and uer mind is as stock. It will fit on to a sled in the fair as her face.

Knocker-But the latter is a good convenient when hauling loose mate- deal more quickly made up.-Baltimore rial. If this is long the rear gate can American.

also be hinged to open at the side. The Mr. Wm. S. Crane, of California, state should be of bard wood three-Md., suffered for years from rheuma-When there is plowing to be done close which he did and it effected a comto fences or trees have your smith put

tism and lumbago. He was finally advised to try Chamberiain's Pain Balm, fore the stock is exhausted. The plete cure. For sale by all druggists, price is 98 cents.

A FRW SETS LEFT

Which May Be Taken by Those Who Want Them.

If there are any persons who were utensils, and who still desire these tain their sets by calling for them at the Times-Democrat office. The pereach house where a set of the ware was to be delivered, but in some inhave a few extra sets with which to supply those who want them. Call early and take away the utensils be-

Every mother feels a

great dread of the pain

and danger attendant upon

the most critical period of her life. Becoming a mother should be a source of joy to all, but the suffering and danger incident to the ordest makes its anticipation one of misery, Mather's Friend is the only remedy which relieves women of the great pain and danger of maternity; this hour which is dreaded as woman's severest trial is not only made painless, but all the danger is avoided by its use. Those who use this remedy are no longer despondent or gloomy; nervousness, nausea and other distressing conditions are overcome, the system is made ready for the coming event, and the

serious accidents so common to the critical hour are obviated by the use of Mother's trans is adjustable to draft it should of Friend. "It is worth its weight in gold," says many who have used it. \$1,00 per bottle at drug stores. Book containing valuable information of interest to all women, will

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Mr. J. C. Lukens, of Tippecanes, Ohio, save: I have been greatly relieved of Merveniness, Stomach and M. dnev Treable by the use of Life Finnt. As a 7nm ly medicine to keep the blood is order and tome up, the upstem and prevent elektrons, I think it signals at the head of the list Tippecanes, March 1, 1900:

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Middle-Aged Men. premature old age as a re-ault of youthful indispretions or excess of latter years; who are troubled with too frequent evacuations of the bladder, or by finding a milky or ropy sediment in the urine, and on account of this unnatural waste and loss of vitality are unfit for business or marriage. You can positively be restored to manly vigor.

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Rooms 12 and 13, second floor.
LIMA LIMA, OHIO, SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Citizens Loan and Building Co.,

William O'Connell, et al., Defendants. Alien Common Piens.

By virtue of an order of sale issued not at home when our canvassers from the Court of Common Pleas, of were making deliveries of the kitchen Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, 31 Chicago accommodation, I will offer for sale at the east door of the Court House in Lime, Allen
county, Ohio, on Saturday the 16th
day of January, 1904, between the 37 Local Fit. ex. Sun. Ar.ves. 5:46 p. m.
hours of one o'clock and four o'clock
Trains East. very valuable articles, they can ob- county, Ohio, on Saturday the 16th hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands sons who made the deliveries called at and tenements, situate in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Obio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Inlot number twenty-one hundred stances found no one at home. We and sixty-seven (2167) in ashton's gage. addition to the city of Lima, Ohio. The same being situate on the west side of Greeniawn avenue, south of

Appraised at \$1,200.00. Terms of sale, cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff of Allen County, O.

Lima, Ohio, Dec. 1st, 1903. Prophet & Eastman. Plaintff's Attorneys

NORTHERN OHIO RAILWAY CO.

Notice is hereby given that the anand meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Ohio Railway Co., for

the election of directors and other general purposes, will be held at the office of the Lake Erle & Western Railroad Co., in Lima, O., on Monday,

will be re-opened Jan. 12th, 1804, at \$1 Sunday only \$1.50 p.m.

10 o'clock a. m.

\$2 Sunday only \$1.50 p.m.

CHARLES F. COX.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John Hell deceased. The indersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator with the will annexed of the estate of John Heil, late of Allen county, Ohio, de-Cossed Dated this 24th day of December,

A. D., 1903. WILLIAM FETH.

Administrator with the will annexed.

Motter, Mackenzie & Weadock, Attorneys. 63-3w No.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The annual meeting of the Lima Park and Improvement Company, will be held at the secretary's office, Y. M. C. A. building at 7:30 p. m., Tuesday evening, January 12th. This will be a meeting of great importance and every stockholder should be present. No. 70-10t C. F. DONZE, President.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The stockholders of the Crystal Ice & Coal Co., are hereby notified that the annual meeting of said company for the election of directors and such other business as may come before 9 Chgo & West, daily..... 2:37 pm said meeting, will be held at the office 35 Ft. Wayne accm. da. er. Sun. 5:20 pm of the company, north McDonel street, Lima, Ohio, Monday, January 18th, 1904, at 2 p. m., by order of the board of directors.

71-tt J. A. DUTTON, Secy.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Hall & Woods Co., will be held at the office of said company, on Friday, January 15th, 1904, at 7 o'clock p. m.

64-tt . S. B. DOUGLASS, Secy.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Metropolitan bank will be held at the office of said bank on Wednesday, January 13, 1904, at 11 o'clock a. m.

W. H. DUFFIELD, Cashier. 54-tt

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT. Estate of Jane Sanford, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Jane Sanford late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of December, A. D., 1903.

THOMAS J. MORRIS, 65-3**w**ks Administrator.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Adam V. Pfeifer, decoased.

The underzigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Adam V. Pfeifer, late of Alien county, Ohio, deceased. Dated this 7th day of December,

A. D., 1903, 47-m-t-3wks BERTHA W. PFRIFER.

W. N. BOYER, H. D. Police Sir-M4 Overa House Block. Lims 'Phone 1007. Residence 577 W. Eim 81. Lims 'Bhone 1008 Night calls attended to by calling Lims 'Phone 1002.

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7 Pacific Express for Chi Daily except Sunday. . 8:42 a.m.

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January 11th, 1904.

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Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironton, Ohio, Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday

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JOHN M. BOOSE

Accountant -Auditor,

Spring came, and we set off 600

We swept across the valleys of the



WE HAD CAUGHT EIGHT OF FLAGS WIG-WAGGING IN THE CLEAR ATMOSPHERE

In flanking the mountains the redbushlike gorge, and at the south end

was astir. But for the Indians being too cute we should certainly have failen into the trap they had set for us. We were almost ready for boots and saddles when a score of warriors came riding out of the pass to dely and taunt us. A troop was sent against them, and they retreated in baste, but as soon as the bugle blew recall the warriors were mocking us again. It was a scheme to get the entire command on the move and after them It was so interpreted by the general, and be ordered a scout to climb up a

Beimer.

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ring a Great Problem. ears ago a tobacconist discov-

utility of tinfoil for wrapping Theretofore paper had been ly used for the purpose, but it erve to keep the moisture of where away from the tobarro erve the natural moisture of co from the effects of a dir atmosphere. Paper also abe arown of the weed and was lently lasting; therefore tiuused for wrappers. But it betly and could only be rolled to thinness, beyond which the of man seemed to find it imto go. The fact was that no uld be made to sustain the necessary to mashing the tineaf sufficiently thin to suit the urer.

ingenious inventors struggled proposition for months and the problem as unsolvable, mple workman about the shop. after rolling two sheets to the y thinness, but the two sheets into the rollers and made both in as they were before. This imple as standing an egg on it created a revolution in the ure of tinfoli for tobacconists' nade a mint of money for the

atler Took the Case. gentleman, a native of Wakess., tells this story of Ben

an important law case on, and one could win that case for the time. I went to Washgot an audience with him he wouldn't take my case for day. He had more work on s now than he could attend e went about his work right ral.' I said. 'I was born in the

n with you." unted, but wasn't otherwise

but I could see. ou remember little Miss ---?

remember the boy who used ioles to her and the boy who ake them? I am the boy who iotes.

I am the boy who sent them." general. He held out his bacd. I'll take your case after all. ind be did and won it."

or Place For Thieves. la is not accustomed to thieves.

denced Bermwian will enterssion of pilfering, at least of dings that cannot be immeaten. For what can be done m? If any property is taken rs of the law have only to e steamship docks. The stuff e disposed of on the islands. too small, and everybody erybody.

Bermudan legend that once a as stolen. It was the talk of The next ensuing problem of was bow to get any good of not dare use it; he could not ut of the country. That he ave it up" was proved when ha later a fisherman brought.

n his book..

Congratulations. congratulations to the manus follows: "Sixteen years tall druggists. n our first child was a baby, ubject to croupy spells and be very uneasy, about him. n using Chamberlain's Cough in 1887, and finding it such remedy for colds and croup, never been without it in the ice that time. We have five a good results. One good feable to take and our bables ke and new Mexico. ed it. Another is that it is erous, and there is no risk us an overdose. I congratu-

All druggists guarantee every hottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone live in flocks and guard themselves by a complete police system which enawho is not satisfied after using twobles them to marshal their collective thirds of the contents. This is the force quickly when any animal or bird best remedy in the world for la gripattacks one of their number. pe, coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a trained in fighting together, and all other birds and animals are afraid to cold to result in pneumonia. ieb-2m attack a parrot paless the bird can be.

Marriages In Burma. Burma is unique among the coun-

tries of the east in the position accorded to women. There is no purdah there, and, gentle as she looks, the married woman is the head of her house. The girls before their ears are pierced, which is equivalent to a coming out reception, are allowed to roam about the streets playing boyish games with their brothers and their friends. and afterward there are many opportunities for young men and women to meet at festivals, boat races and other gayetles. Marriages in Burnin therefore are usually love matches, and the unmarried woman is in no burry to i change her state. Burmese women are sponded: charming, generally slender, dainty and demurely coquettish. They went ing may attain in this country, it will gayly colored garments, which make herer get above one Story."-Success. I must say that your style is faulty them look like flower beds, and their hair, which is shining and smooth, is always uncovered and decked with

Why Your Coffee in Bod.

Bridget is an excellent cook; but. like most women of her profession, she en Butler. He was in Wash- is opinionated and insists upon making all her dishes strictly according to her od after hard scrabbling for own recipes. Her mistress gives her full swing not only as to cooking, but as to the purchase of supplies. The other day ber mistress said to her:

"Bridget, the coffee you are giving us is very good. What kind is it?" "It is no kind at all, mum," said

Bridget. "It's a mixter." "How do you mix it?"

"I shake it one-quarter Mocha and one-quarter Java and one-quarter Rio." "But that's only three-quarters. What do you put in for the other quarter?"

"I put in no other quarter at all mum. That's where so many spoil the coffee, mum-by puttin' in another quarter."-New York Press.

The Japanese Hell.

The Japanese language has no equivalent for our word "bell." but has the word "jigoku" instead. Jigoku consists of first eight immense bot hells, ranging one beneath the other in tiers. Each of these hells has sixteen additional hells outside its gates. like so many antechambers, so that there are in all 136 hot bells. Second, there are eight large cold hells, each with its sixteen ante-hells, making the same number of cold that there are of hot hells. Besides these 272 hot and cold bells for offenders of the common sort the wily Japs have twenty mammoth "belis of utter darkness," into which will be consigned the spirits of children who take the name of Dai Butsa, or Great Buddha, in vain.

Found a Cure For Indigestion.

I use Chamberlain's Stomach and "my client is accused of bignmy, and anything I want to; now-Geo. W. he's guilty; so I hardly know how to issing wheel from fairly deep and I have used many different remedefend blm." from indigention. I can'eat almost than there aurered a great that per. "Defend him on the ground of to steek enothing first me I solp liver Tablets for indigestion and find insaulty and get a few benpecked bushn H. Cuillom, editor of the Liver Tablets for indigestion and find Texas, News, has written a that they suit my case better than any bands on the jury."--Puck. dyspensia remedy I have ever tried Chamberlain's Cough Emory, Rock Mills, Ala. For sale by

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Jan, 5 and 19, Feb. 2d, and 16th. The Chicago and Brie railroad will sell cheap one way and round trip and have given it to all of tickets to points in Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, Indian Territory, Nebras-

Round trip tickets good 21 days, from date of sale... Call phone 60, For sale by all druggists. 2-tt

An economical way of disposing of stale broad is by eating it. It mayon W. S. MORRISON, Agent. dectors' bills.-Detroit Free Press.

### STORY OF A **CRITICISM**

[Original.] "Great Scott! Who would have thought it? Helen Young an author! Well, I am in a pickie!"

Ho spoke Leslie Reid, tossing a note the fields. on his deak and leaning back discouselately in his revolving chair. This was height, are separated by paths nine

My Dear Mr. Reid-You will be aurprized to learn that I am the author of the story "The Veil Lifted," which you have dismissed with such a contemptuous notice in your paper. Wishing to get your unblased opinion of my work, I said nothing to you about it, confident that nothing to you about it, confident that your ignorance of the name under which it is published would insure an honest criticism. Far he it from me in find fault with you for that criticism. We who lay traps to learn the truth as to what our friends say of me and our works must not grumble at our success. Sincerely, HELEN YOUNG.

"One who knows nothing about the inconsistencies of the sex." mused Rold would suppose this merely a woman's thanks for an ingenuous criticism. I know better. No woman is going to spend months or perhaps yests on a cherished labor and have it knocked in the head with impunity, and if I know Helen Young this is the feather that breaks the camel's back. I have had uphili work against Bartlett anyway, and this episode will tip the scale in his favor."

Reid was right in his interpretation of the letter he had received. In proportion to her predisposition to him and her respect for his literary opinion was her wrath at his criticism. She deceived berself by the illusion that after all she preferred his rival and dld not admit to berself that she would have a delicious revenge upon Reid when she permitted Bartlett to announce his engagement with her. This permission, given in an equivocal way, was taken advantage of immediately, and the announcement came to Reid's

"They say," Beid muttered, " 'O that mine enemy would write a book!" Better write the book yourself and have your enemy criticise it."

Wild Parrets.

Parrots when in their native wilds

They seem to be disciplined and

caught alone. Even then a shell call

summons the parrot army to the res-

Story and Everett.

Exercise For Both.

"Does your wife go in for athletics?"

yesterday to take exercise; said she was

You can easily see that I am the one

Answered.

I heard a good story the other day

about a matrimonial agency. An elder-

ly man had three daughters who ruled

him with a rod of iron. Weary of their

tyminy he advertised in a namer for a

wife. Next day he received three re-

Wasted Effort.

got an immense amount of money,-

Domestic Repartee.

No Pity Shown.

failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured

me. Equally good for burns and all aches and pains. Only 25 cents at H.

A Line of Action.

"You see," said the young lawyer,

"Why, that's easy," said the old law-

Cause For Werry.

Bertie? Did papa object?

tions? Invitations to what?

there are invitations.

She-Why do you look so worried,

Bertie-No. But he said: "It's all

right. You'l' seen find out it's useless

to object when Nell is set on anything."

Invitations.

Archie-See how I am run after. All

Friend-Good grackus! All invita-

Archie-To call and settle accounts.

F. Vortkamp's drug store.

"For years fate was after me con-

in the play is always a man.

woman who makes him one.

going to walk up a long bill."

"And did she?"

Journal.

-Exchange.

Atchison Globe.

This sudden engagement so soon aftor the fatal criticism somewhat altered Mr. Reid's opinion of the best way to handle the matter. He had some doubts as to the engagement being bona fide, and it led him to act upon the adage. "All's fair in love and in war." He did not follow up his note to Miss Young by calling upon her and did not see her for several weeks. He then met her at the house of a friend. It is said that in the forests all parrots die of old age and that none is ever
killed by birds of prey or other wild animals.

He bowed to poor assuming indifference. She smiled upon him—well, one
cannot say gradiously. Her smile was
rather one of thumph.

"Oh, Mr. Reid," she said. "I'm so glad to meet you! Come, let us have a Chief Justice Story attended a pub. talk." And she led him away from the lic dinner in Boston at which Edward others. Now, I want you to tell me Everett was present. Desiring to pay why my book was so had."

a delicate compliment to the latter, the "I criticised wour book," he replied. icarned judge proposed as a volunteer with dignity, "not you. I have no fault toast:

to find with you." Let us turn to a more "Fame follows merit where Everett pleasant subject." Not at all. I am entitled as an old

The brilliant scholar arose and re- friend to the benefit of your counsel and advice. They will aid me in my "To whatever heights judicial learn- future work." "Very well. Since you insist upon it

and gives the impression that the work was done under different moods."

There was a flash in the girl's eye, a "Um-yes, in a way. She went out mounting of color to her cheek.

Then you handled your love parts badly and disappointed your readers by making your here marry a popintar "No; she got into the dry goods dis- when the rival was, though commontrict and ran up a long bill instead. place, a fairly good fellow."

"Thank you," said Miss Young, bliing who was exercised."-Kansas City her lips.

"Your man Mackinson"-"Mackinson! Who's Mackinson?

What are you talking about?" Your hero. You have made his feats as impossible as himself. Then your Lucy Tangiefield's career is as tangled

as her name. So far as"-"Will you please tell me who all plies one from each of the daughters. them. these people are? I never heard of

"Your characters. As I was say-

"Will you stop? My characters are Some people spend a good deal of not Machinson and Lucy Tanglewood time figuring on what they would do if or any such people." they had an immense amount of mon-"Are not they the characters of The ey. That is the reason they have not

Veil Lifted?" They are not "Then," said Reid, "I must have been

ishoring under a mistake and got your book mixed with another. You see. The Wife (during a row)-The villain we have so many to read that it often leads to serious mistakes. Mention The Husband-Yes, and it is always some incident, some name, in your story by which I may recognize it." An indiscreet man is an unsealed let-

"The hero's name is Adair, the heroter. Every one can read it.-Chamfort. inc's"-

"Claudia Grammont! Do you mean to tell me you wrote that book? The tinuously" writes F. A. Guliedge, Ver. style is perfect, the plot remarkable. bens, Als., "I had a terrible case of In parts there is evidence of positive genius." piles causing 24 tumors. When all

Miss Young's eyes were lighted. Her cheeks were glowing with a different motive from that of a moment ago. She was quite sure she had not made a mistake, after all, and that Rold was her choice. The meeting was interrupted by the hosters, and the two separated without further explanations, which were not necessary. Miss Young sent for Mr. Bartlett and rated him soundly for his premature announcement, and a few evenings later she accepted her critic, whom she admired

all the more for his independence. A dosen years had passed (Mrs. Reid was kept too busy with her five children to think of dabbling in literature) it play. before her husband confessed that he had deliberately pretended to mix her novel with another. To his confession

the replied carelessly: "I certainly proved a better author than you a critic.".

Reid winced. "The Veil Lifted" was one of the most successful books of its tme. F. A. MITCHEL. F. A. MITCHEL.



A FAMOUS PERFUME.

Delicions Attar of Roses Is Chiefy Made in Bulgaria. The far famed otto (or attar) of roses

is chiefly made in Bulgaria. Kasapilk is the center of the rose growing country. Red roses only are used in making the perfume, but white roses, which grow more freely, form the hedges of

The trees, which grow to a great feet in width to allow the oxen and plow to pass. The perfume is obtained not only from the petals, but also from the stalks and leaves. These give a peculiar scent, which adds greatly to the delicacy of the perfume of the petals.

October, April and June are the months for planting branches of the old trees. Weeding, pruning and digging are necessary for three years, when ther are full grown and repay the labor spent upon them by bearing for twenty

The discovery of the delicious attar was quite an accident and took place three centuries ago. The Persian Princess Nour Djihan was strolling through the splendid galleries of her palace with her betrothed (the Mongolian Prince Dilhanguyr) and noticed in the rosewater basins about the passages an ugly, yellowish oil floating on the surface. Orders were instantly given to remove the unsightly fluid, when it was discovered the perfume was also removed. Thus the virtue of the essential oil was found out, which is still called in Persia "Attar Djihan."

Culture and Riches. If one-tenth as much attention were

devoted to the fools among the middle and working classes as is devoted to the fool sons of the rich, we should be in danger of believing with Carlylethat the people are "mostly fools." It is true that the culture of the suddenly rich is cruder and narrower than the culture of those who have had generations of wealth and lelsure, but culture is relative. The culture of the most cultured classes in the old world is the result of large wealth possessed for generations. Culture is a matter of growth, but it never grows in poverty. The cheapness of the culture of the very rich in this country as compared with that of the aristocracy of old countries is simply the difference between youth and age, a difference of experience. There is a comparative cheapness in the culture, bearing and manners of the people of the west as compared with those of the east, and for the same reason. The aristocracy of the south and of New England have a refinement quite unlike that of the newly made rich in New York and Chicago and the west. They have been longer in the making.-Gunton's Maga-

Shaving the Bridegroom.

The shaving of the bridegroom on his wedding day is a Bulgarian custom which, handed down from pre-Christian days, is still observed with due formality, especially in country districts. While the barber is at his task a dancing crowd of young folks: surrounds him and the bridegroom. As the latter's hair is cut the snippings are carefully collected by some of the girls for preservation in one of the bride's chests. The barber, when his work is done, receives a small white linen cloth as a present and also a trifling sum of money from each person there. Then the bridegroom kisses the hands of the girls, washes his face and dons his wedding dress, which must first be carefully weighed three times by one of the boys

Highland Makeshifts.

A few years ago accommodations in the highlands of Scotland were very primitive. It is related that the young Duchess of Gordon, on inquiring how the late duchess managed toentertain so much company at Kinrara, where there seemed no room, was told by the butler his pocketbook, he asked, "To what that for weeks at a time he had slept on the top of the kitchen dresser. A niece and two other young ladies were known to have slept in the duchess' bedroom, which probably was not large, for they were sent out to wash in the neighboring brook. Miss Macdonell of Glengarry, who told this, said also that there was a waterfall near Ochtertyre which the late Sir William Murray and his brothers used as their shower bath.

Creases In Brawings.

Creases in drawings, engravings, etc., may be leveled out by following these Instructions: Fasten the engraving or drawing by drawing pins on a board, face downward, on a sheet of paper; on the back place another sheet of paper which retains a very slight quantity of moisture. Over this place fiannel or blotting paper, and, taking a hot iron. pass it carefully over the part where the creases have been made until they disappear and then submit the drawings or engravings to pressure between: printer's glazed boards.

Pana Did Too. "This is my son Frederick, Mr. Fosdick," said Mr. Glanders proudly, introducing his five-year-old boy to his

caller. "Well, Frederick," said the caller, "do you obey your mamma?" "Yes, sir," replied Frederick promptly, "and so does papa."

Out of Harm's War. He-Why does this theater have its orchestra concealed? She-Why? Just wait until you bear

Uncertain. He-Was that you I kissed in the conservatory last night? "About what time was it?"-Life.

He who wishes to secure the good of others has already secured his own.-

Fatal kidney and bladder troubles can always be prevented by the use of Follow's Kidney Core. For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets.

THE LOAN OF A NICKEL

[Original.] The troller car conductor was coming, clinking his puncher as he came. has yet been found, who will deny that NEWSRO'S HERPICIDE does the wors. lady who sat next to me opened a hand satchel, but, not finding what she ex- thing, we would say that HERPICIDE pected, was evidently much distressed. Means, a destroyer or killer of "Rerpes,"
Now "Herpes" is the family name of a Nearer came the puncher and more disturbed appeared the lady.

that I was paying for the lady beside me, he punched twice and passed on. "Will you kindly give me your ad-

dress?" asked the lady. "I wish to return your loan." "What loan?" I asked. "You paid my fare."

"Rather say the conductor made a mistake."

"Your address, please." I took out my card with my address engraved upon it and handed it to her. The next day a messenger brought

me an envelope containing a nickel. A couple of weeks later I received by mail a ticket marked "Complimentary" to an amateur entertainment given for charity. I was puzzled. Such tickets are not usually complimentary. Be sides, I was abundantly able to pay. Curious to Jearn more of the matter. I attended the show, which was given in a small theater. My sent was one of the best in the house, right in among the creme de la creme. Beside me sat which she says, "Would keep me in a lady, who looked at me as if the doors for days. I was prescribed for wondered how I, not in the swim-I was a newcorrer to the city-could have got into that part of the house. I looked over the audience with a forgnette, but saw no one I had ever seen before. When the performance was over I left the theater no wiser than

small parcel. Unwrapping it, I opened a little pasteboard box and took out a scarf pin of a unique design. There was nothing to identify it, and I concluded it must have been placed there by mistake when my coat was hanging in some public place. After that I thought nothing of either mystery. though I longed for one glimpse of the woman I had loaned a nickel.

Two years later I was traveling in a rullway carriage in England, and though it was early in the afternoon, I fell asleep. When I awoke I noticed that there had been a change in the occupancy of the compartment. Before me sat a lady, and the moment I looked at her I saw that she was the woman whose street car fare I had paid. Her eyes were bent on a book, and she gave no sign of being aware of the presence of one she had met before. Since she was not looking at me, I had plenty of opportunity to look at

Now. I dely any one to be looked at by one in whom he or she is interested and not betray consciousness of the fact. It seemed to me that the lady was reading very rapidly. I waited to see how she would act when her glance fell upon me. She did not seem inclined to put down the book and when she did so took pains to avoid seeing me. My diagnosis of her actions was that she had recognized me, but did not wish to give me a chance to open an acquaintance. Then the guard put his head in and said:

"Tickets!" Here was a pretty chance for revenge. I fumbled in my pocket for a of it completely relieve and cured ticket which I purposely failed to find, me." Just as good for liver and kidwatching the lady's expression as I did ney troubles and general debility.

so. She showed no especial interest in Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by my discomfiture, but turned and whise H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and pered something to an elderly man, her Main street. father, beside her.

"What? U'm! Can I be of any assistance to you, sir "

"I am sorry to trouble you, but my funds are all in letters of credit and"-"Permit me, sir." And, taking out

point?" "I am traveling for pleasure, and it doesn't matter. I shall stop where you stop, draw money, and then I will not inconvenience myself by having to send you the amount of your loan."

"As you wish, sir." Then to the conductor, "Ticket to Edinburgh, please," and my fare was paid.

I promosed to Seep in touch with the travelers till I could learn more about the lady, who gave no evidence whatever of seeing anything in the incident to point to a former incident. I exchanged cards with her father with thanks

On the evening of my arrival at Edinburgh I called on my benefactor to return my loan. He bad gone out, but his daughter responded to my card. As she entered the room I saw her cast a quick glance at the pin I wore in my scart, then look away in evident fear that I had noticed her interest init. The pin was the one I had found in my own coat pocket after the charity entertainment at the theater. A sudden revelation flashed through my brain. It had been put in my overcost pocket by the lady who sat next to me in the theater, who was her confederate.

"I am fortunate," I said, "in the opportunity to thank you for a delightful evening several years ago at a theater and for the beautiful souvenir you gave me of the occasion."

There was a flush of scarlet; then, recovering nerself, she said: "They were in acknowledgment of the loan you made me in a street gar

in which you made it." Nevertheless I was not so modest as

to consider the favore she had shown me a more return of the loan of a nickel. I made the most of the attuation, and after a tour in company with her and her father we returned to America to celebrate our wedding. ALBERT COCWELL

THE PEOPLE ALL

In Chorus Cried, Give Us Newboo's

This word of fate has been in every one's mouth, and many are wondering what the word signifies, though no one Well, for the information of thousands of people who like to know all about a gos disease caused by various vegetable parasites. A similar microbe causes dan-"Fare," said the conductor.

druff, itching scalp, and falling hair; this
"I handed hir 10 cents. Supposing is the microbe that NEWERO'S HERPI-CIDE promptly destroy; after which the hair grows. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Wm M. Melville, Special Agent.

SPECIAL TICKETS AND RATES TO ST. MARYS AND CELINA VIA THE L. E. & W. R. R.

Tickets good for two persons one trip or round trip for one person between Lima and St. Marys 85c, or Ce-

A Prisoner in Her Own Home. Mrs. W. H. Lavha, of 1001 Agnes

evenue, Kansas City, Mo., has for several years been troubled with severe hoarseness and at times a hard cough. by physicians with no noticeable results. A friend gave me part of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy with instructions to closely follow the direction and I wish to state that after the first day, I could notice a decided change for the better, and at over I left the theater no wiser than when I entered it.

On reaching my rooms I put my that I am entirely cured." This remedy gloves in my overcant pocket and felt is for sale by all druggists.

He Repente.

She-You only married me for my

He-Serces me right for trying to back up against one of those getrich-quick games.—Judge.

PNEUMONIA AND LA GRIPPE. If you but knew the splendid merit

of Foley's Honey and Tar, you would never be without it. A dose or two will prevent an attack of pneumonia or la grippe: It may save your life. The prevention of consumption is enirely a question of commencing the proper treatment in time. Nothing is so well adapted to ward off fatal lung troubles as Foley's Honey and Tar.
For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner North and Main streets.

Wants More Information. Jaggles-What are the grounds for

Waggles-His better half claims she didn't know how her other half lives.

Brutally Tortured. A case came to light that for persistent and unmerciful torture has perhaps never been equaled. Joe Golobick, of Colusa, California, writes: "For 15 years I endured insufferable pain from rheumatism and nothing relieved me though I tried everything known I came across Electric Bitters, and it's the greatest medicine on

SHERIFF'S SALE.

P. R. Kerr, plaintiff,

Samuel Jones, defendant, Allen Common Pleas. By virtue of a vendi exponas, issued

from the court of common pleas, of Anen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county. Ohio. on

Saturday, January 30th, 1904,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situato-in the city of Lims, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows.

inlot number twenty-three hundred and sixty-seven (2367) in Watt's addition to the city of Lima. The same being situated on the sast side of Blaine avenue, house No. 1115.

P. R. KERR, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Appraised at \$400.00. Terms of sale: Cash. E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio. Lima, O., Dec. 30th, 1903.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

The Lima Home & Savings Ass'n.

Jettie Bible, et al., Defendants. Allen Common Pleas.

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By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me direct-ed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, February 6th, 1904,

between the hours of one o'clock and the loan you made me in a street car four o'clock, p. m., the following des-and especially for the delicate manner cribed lands and tonements, situated in the city of Lime, 'Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as fol-

lows to-wit: Inlot number fity-four hundred and fifty-one (5451) in Maplewood Place addition to said city of Lima, Oblo. The same being situate on the south

side of Brice avenue, between Collett and Charles street.
Appraised at \$2500.00. Terms of sale, cash,

E J. BARR, Sheriff, Lima, Ohio, Jan. u. 1984. Sprague & Lippincott, Plaintiff's

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

### MEN

Prefer to Remain in This City,

### And New Work

Will Be Sought by Most January 12th and 13th. of Those

Who Are Affected by the Ro-ters' Quartette. movel of the L. E. & W. Coach Department.

Positions Are Offered Them in Collingwood Shope, But They Decline to Move Away From Lima.

By the removal of the coach department of the L. E. & W. shops from this city to the Lake Shore shops at Collinwood quite a number of coach painters and coach carpenters are thrown out of local employment and they will be required to either seek new positions or remove to Cleveland and work in the Collinwood shops. The company offers the men employment in the Lake Shore shops but as many of them own their present homes in this city they have declined to accept the offer of positions at Collinwood.

As was stated by the Times-Democrat Tuesday, the city council has instructed the city solicitor to investi gate the terms of the contract between the city and the lake Erie & Western Railroad Company relating to the estabilishment and maintainance of the shops in this city. As stated some time ago, that contract provides that at no time shall the shops or any portion thereof be removed from the city or be discontinued in operation. Techmically, perhaps, the removal of any of the equipment of the shops might he construed as a breach of the terms of the contract as one department is entirely removed by the new order of the officials, but it does not seem probable that the city will demand the return of the coach department because the shops are neither to be removed or discontinued. The department that has been occupied by the coach work will be utilized for an expansion of other departments of the shops and will afford employment for a greater number of men than there are removed by reason of the change.

Many of the men who are required to remove to Collinwood or seek new employment are old employes of the company who have purchased homes in the city and it is very unfortunate that they should be thrown out of emplayment at the shops.

What a happy old world this world would be

If everybody would take Rocky Mountain Tea. 25c, tra or tablets.

For sale by H. F. Vortkamp, corner Main and North streets.

### DR. DICKEY

Ricciad to Office of County Physician.

Dr. Terwilliger, Who Has Served a Long Period, Will Retire Hext March.

The Board of Infirmary Directors. with the new addition of Mr. Mose who became a member this week, has elected a successor to Dr. Terwilliger,

who has held the office of county physician for a number of years. The names of three well known physicians were considered in the balloting and each member of the board seemed to have a first choice, as Dr.

Burton received one vote on the first ballot. Dr. Johnson one, and Dr. R. V. Dickey one. The second ballot settled the question. Dr. Dickey receiving two votes, and was declared elected. Dr. Dickey, who was born in Preble county, came to Lima five years ago from Cincinnati, and during that time

has not only built up a good practice, but has demonstrated that he is possessed of a knowledge of his profession which brings success. He is in every way amply fitted for the work entrusted to him, and will enter upon his duties next March.

### MASONIC CLUB.

Meeting of members tomorrow (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. Annual election of officers.

G. E. BLUEM, President WALLACE LANDIS, Secy.

DOLLARS DO DOUBLE DUTY AT MICHAEL'S SWEEP SALE.

A merry sled load from Eastown spont last evening at the home of Elmer Best, on Lincoln avenue and were entertained with music and

Miss Berthe Abbott, of west North street, is speeding the week with Clara Bust, of Bastown.

#### ANNUAL

Meeting of State Farmers Institute

To Be Held in Columbus Next Wook - Pine Pregrem Is Prepared.

Farmers' Institute will be bold in Columbus, Tuesday and Wednesday

Program. Tuesday, January 12, 10 o'clock, a. m.: -- Music, The Williamson Sis-

Address-President G. C. House keeper, Bowling Green. Music-The Williamson Sisters' Quartette.

Address-Some Problems in Ohio Agriculture. Prof. Homer C. Price, Dean of the Agricultural College O. S. U., Columbus. Discussion of subject.

Address-Corn Breeding as Carried on by a Farmer, L. H. Goddard, Washington C. H. Discussion of sub-

Address-Money in Apples-Grow ing the Orchard—Handling the Fruit. Dr. W. I. Champerlain, editor Ohio Farmer, Cleveland, Discussion of

Music-The Williamson Sisters' Quartette. Two O'clock P. M.

Music-The Williamson Bisters Quartette.

Appointment of committees

Address-Associated Dairying. D A. Crowner, secretary-treasurer C\*to Dairymen's Association, West Jeffer son. Discussion of subject.

Address-Home Making as a Fine Mrs. J. W. Bates, Broad Ripple, Ind. Discussion of subject-opened by Miss Minnie A. Stoner, O. S. U. Columbus.

Music-The Williamson Sisters' Quartette.

Address-Certain Ohio Soil Probems. Prof. A. D. Selby, Botanist Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station,

Wooster. Discussion of subject. Address-A Hard Earth Road D. Ward King, Maitland, Mo. Discussion of subject.

Music-The Williamson Sisters Quartette.

Wednesday, Jan. 13, 10 O'clock A. M. Music-The Williamson Sisters'

Address The Horse on the Farm R. A. Hayne, Adena. Discussion of subject. Address Domestic Science at the

Onio State University. Miss Minnie A. Stoner, Prof. Domestic Science, O. S. U. Discussion of subject—Opened by Mrs. Mary E. Lee, Associated Editor, Farm and Fireside, New Plymouth. Music-The Williamson Sisters

Address-Feeding Ensilage for Beef

and Mutton. C. P. Dyar, Discussion of subject. Address Commercial Orcharding in

Obio. W. W. Farnsworth, President Ohio State Horticultural Society, Waterville. Discussion of subject. Music-The Williamson Sisters'

Quartette.

Music-The Williamson Sisters' Quartette.

Reports of committees. Election of officers.

Address-The Social Rights and Duties of Farmers. Mrs. J. W. Bates, Broad Ripple, Ind. Discussion of sub-

iect. Address-Sheep Husbandry, Geo. McKerrow, Superintendent Farmers' Institutes, Madison, Wis. Discussion

of subject. Muzic-The Williamson Sisters' Quartette. Address-Seven Years of Good

earth Roads: D. Ward King, Maitland, Mo. Discussion of subject. Miscellaneous business.

Music-The Williamson Sisters

### HELLO WEST CAIRO!

Last night a crowd of operators and men from the Bell Telephone office drove to the home of genial William fance, two miles east of West Calro.

They started at six o'clock and didn't "get home 'til morning," and all report a jolly time and a fine supper, and "Candy" says the cider was especially good.

Thanks are due Mr. Musser for the conveyance and to Mr. and Mrs. Vance for their genuine hospitality.

### COUNTING

#### On Three Games With the Lima Team.

The O. N. U. at Ada, has put a fast basket ball team into form for the rest of the season, and a schedule of games with teams from out of town, has been arranged. Three dates have been assigned to Lima, one on the 15th of February, another on the 2nd of March, and the third on March 25. Games will be played on other dates with Bliss College, Arcadia, Fostoria, Renton, Kenyon College, Piqua and

DANCING AT THE ARMORY TO

## SUIT

Brought by Cred. itors

### The annual meeting of the State Of Lima Firm

Forced the Sheriff to Close the Doors.

The Notice Store of John U. Heineger Attached Yesterday.

and Mansfield Are Also Included in the Action for Settlement.

An action was filed in common pleas court shortly after three o'clock yesterday afternoon by Ridenour & Halfhill, which resulted in the issuing of an execution and the closing of the doors of the store conducted by John U. Heiniger in the Norval block.

The plaintiffs are Warner Bros. Co., wholesale dealers, of Buffalo, who state that they sold to the defendant goods valued at \$1,285.75, on the 10th of February, 1903, and they ask judgment for that amount. At the same time that the execution went into effect here, two other stores operated by Mr. Heiniger at St. Johns and Mansfield were ordered closed by order of Deputy Summers, and they will be held until final disposition is made by the court or an agreement reached by the creditors as to the best mode of proceedure.

This morning, Attorney Tom Hamilton, filed a motion to have the amdavit, on which the execution was based, dismissed, on the ground that it is not good in law, and the allegations are false and untrue.

There are a number of other creditors besides the company bringing the action, and the total liabilities of the defendant are conservatively estimated at \$17,000. The assets including the stock at Lima, Mansfield and St. Johns, are said to be sufficient to meet all claims, and as there is to be a meeting of the creditors, or their representatives to adjust affairs, it is possible that some agreement will yet be reached which will make a settlement out of court more satisfactory than further litigation.

Heiniger turned over the keys of his Lima store to the authorities and J. O. Stout has been appointed custodian for the time being.

Await the Grand Jury. James and Dan Ranson, the two colored fellows who assaulted and stabled Walter Davis, have been bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$200 and Lieutenant Wingate filed the commitment papers with Deputy Sheriff Summers this morning.

in Probate Court. Barter was isu today of Eddie E. Baxter, a minor, and gave bond in the sum of \$500. In the settlement of the estate of

Wm. Armstrong, Frank Schaffer was appointed administrator. Bond in the sum of \$12,000 was furnished. Marriage License.

Abram Hooks, 52, carbuilder, of Van Wert, and Florence Haines, of

Real Estate Transfers. C. P. Thompson to Chas. H. Kelly, 26 acres in Auglaize township, \$1,700. Geo. W. Michael to Susan Carper, 5

acres in Monroe township, \$1,400. UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE PIP ER'S GROCI... WILL CLOSE EV. ERY EVENING EXCEPT SATURDAY AT 6 O'CLOCK. 74-2t

SKATING AT MCCULLOUGH'S TO-

### SERIOUS

Is the Condition of Attorney J. W. Halfhill.

Information from the home of Attorney James W. Halfhill, who has been quite ili for several days, sufferencouraging. The condition of Mr. Halfhill is regarded as being very serious and unless there is soon some improvement the case may be regarded as extremely/dangerous.

### MAYOR'S COURT.

Kersker Case Continued to 28th of January.

The case in mayor's court against J. H. Kersker, charged with failure to support his family, was this morning. continued for hearing, to the 28th of this month.

Mercer Stever and Frank Allen. were defendants in two drunkenness cases and each was fined \$1 and costs. MICHAEL'S SWEEP SALE-TOWN

### GENERAL

Offices of Sanduaky-Southwestern Road

Will Be Removed From Wapskensta to This City Best Week --- He Foor of a Receiver.

The general offices of the Sandusky-Southwestern electric railroad company which are now situated in Wapakoneta are to be removed to this city next week and will be established in the opera house block, where local representatives of the company have had headquarters for several months. This city will undoubtedly be a more advantageous points for the promoters of the line to operate.

The early construction of the Sandusky-Southwestern is promised by And Branch Houses at St. Johns the promoters of the enterprise and no stock whatever is taken in the threat of a diagrantled stock peddler to throw the enterprise into the gands of a receiver. Local legal counsel of the company states that the affairs of the company are in such condition that any effort to throw the enterprise into the hands of a receiver could not be successful in any court.

> EVERYONE'S TALKING ABOUT MICHAEL'S SWEEP SALE.

### PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. S. W. Preston, of Findley, was called here on acount of the illness of her sister. Mrs. E. L. Grandstaff, of south Elizabeth sirect.

Mrs. Laura Page and Miss Bonnie Bourquin, of north West street, are in Toledo for a few days. Mrs. Wm. Melville and daughter

Jeanette, are home from a visit in Chicago. Miss Pearl Grosjean and Miss Hazel Hover, left today for Hollins, West for 10c.

Virginia, where they have been attending school. Mrs. Jennie Thompson, of west Wayne street, is home from a visit at

Zapesville.

Miss Mary Arthur, of north Metcalf street, has returned from a visit at Delnhos

Porter Ewing left yesterday for Greencastle, Ind., where he will attend Denau University.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill, of Cleveland, and Miss Florence Dewey, of Toledo, have returned to their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Leighton, of east Market street. Mrs. Edwin Robinson, has returned

to her home in Kane, Pa., after a visit with Mrs. George Robinson, of west Wayne street. Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wyre and fam-

ily left yesterday for their home in Chicago, after a fortnight visit with their numerous relatives and friends in Lima. Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fox, of Pelee

Island, Lake Erie, are spending a fortlight with Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Floeter, of Washington street.

Miss Schidermanter, of Kenton has been visiting Mrs. Palmer, of west Wayne street.

Judge and Mrs. J. L. Price have returned to Columbus after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Price, of west Market. Miss Donna Hughes of Oregon

has returned to Oberlin College, after a visit with Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Thomas of west Wayne street. Miss Chapman of west Market

street, has returned from Elmira. N. Y., where she spent the holidays. Mr. Geo. H. Wilson, of the Daily

### MARKETS.

Post, at Lindsay, Canada, is in the

city on business, today.

New York, Jan. 2.4-The recovery which followed the opening decline in London, were narrow. Dealings were numerous, however, extending to over a half in Brooklyn Transit. Amalgamated Copper was the only prominent stock to show a gain but a number of minor stocks were affected.

Live Stock. Chicago, Jan. 7 .- Cattle, receipts 10,000; market slow. Good to prime steers \$5.10@\$5.60; stockers and feeders \$2.25@\$4.25; cows \$1.75@ \$4.35; helfers \$2.00@\$4.75; canners \$1.75@\$2.50; bulls \$2.25@\$4.50; calves \$3.50m \$5.25.

Hogs, receipts today 90,000; tomor row 30,000; market 5 and 10 cents ing an attack of kidney trouble, is not higher. Mixed and butchers \$4.600 \$5; good to choice heavy \$4.95@\$5.10; rough heavy \$4.65@\$4.96; light \$4.50 @\$4.75; bulk of sales \$4.70@\$4:90.

> Sheep, receipts 30,000. Steady; good to choice wethers \$4.00@\$4.50; fair to choice wethers \$3.25@\$4.00: native lambs \$4.00@\$6.25. Grain and Previsions.

83; May 87 1-4 and ?; July 82 5-8; Sept. 80 1-4. Corn. Jan. 48 1-8; May 47 1-8; July 16½ and 5-8; Sept. 46%.

Chicago, Jan. 7.-Close, wheat, Jan.

Oats, Jan. 36 5-8; May 351/2 and 5-8; July 36% and ½; Sept. 32%. Pork, Jan. 13.00; May 13.3214. Lard, Jan. 6.75; May 7.00. Toledo Grain. Toledo, O., Jan. ?---Wheat, Jan. 92;

May 84%; July 84 5-8.-

Corn, Jan. 36; May 48; July 47%. Onts, cash 49 1-4; May 40 5-8. Bood, Jan. 7.05%; Mar. 7.17%.

at El Paso, Texas.

55-57 Public Square.

G. E. BLUEM.



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### RICH BARGAINS ON EVERY HAND.



The first week of this great Removal Sale has been successful to a weather ing degree. Here baryains are effered on the regular stock which has always had the very enviable regulation of being the best in this violaity. That explains the erowded condition of the Bluem store during the past week. We're some to move into more commedicus quartere seen and are ready to sell the present slock at a scorifice to get it out of the way so as to accommodate the fine new stock for the new store. We think such prices as the following will do much toward accomplishing that purpose.

The most dependable store draws the largest crowds. Have you been in Bluem's since the Great Rewoval Sale

#### Breat Values in Winter Hesiery at Greatly Reduced Prices.

First Floor.

Ladies' black cotton Hose, winter weight, 50c values at 25c.

Ladies' black cotton Hose, winter weight, 35c values for 18c.

Ladies' fancy Hose in colors, at half

Ladies' woolen Hose, with natural wool feet. 50c value for 39c. Ladies' black woolen Hose, 20c value

### CHILDREN'S HOSE.

Children's heavy cotton Hose, 25c val-

Children's fleeced lined cotton Hose, 25c value for 15c.

MEN'S HOSE.

Men's all black, and black and white fancy cotton Hose, winter weight, 50c value

Men's cotton Hose in colors, 15c value, The state of the s

Men's cassimere Hose, a fine 50c value

\$5.00.

Somo Remarkable Earmains In

Skirts and Rain Coats now

at Your Diesecol.

Third Floor-Take Elevator.

several styles, different fabrics and all good

values. The former price on these skirts

was \$5.00. They can now be purchased for

33.98 Each.

The following price reductions on black

Another specially good value is found

in a line of Walking Skirts. The price on

these all the season has been \$7.50. The

Dress Skirts cannot be duplicated, quality

\$7.50 Skirts for \$5.00.

\$10.00 Skirts for \$7.50.

\$12.50 Skirts for \$10.00.

We are offering a line of Misses' Skirts

Very special price reductions have been made on our entire line of rain coats. They can be used the year through and make a good investment. Ask to see them.

G. E. BLUEM.

for 25c. All a time. If you have a first year, to be a

Q. E. BLUEM.



Dry Goods,

Suit House.

price asked now is

considered.

### ANXIETY

Felt at the Home of Mr. J. H. Fink

For Safety of Daughter-in-Law and Grandchild.

Who Are Believed to Have Been Passengers on Rock Island Passenger Train That Was Wrecked.

Jacob H. Fink, on south Elizabeth tirety was well balanced, and of unstreet, for the safety of Mr. Fink's usual strength. Miss Lara Lenis, as daughter-in-law, Mrs. E. M. Fink, and "Lella Crofton," the very orbit about the latter's nine year old daughter, which the story revolves, proved herwho it is feared, were passengers on self a strong successor to Grace board the Rock Island passenger train | George, and ida Mulie, little Ida-who that was wrecked near Topeka, Kans., in years gone by was Dave Hender day afternoon, death resulting from early yesterday morning.

here on a visit before the holidays and Liser" has certainly not forgotten how left here on the Wednesday before to be extravaganza. Christmas, going to Hartford City Fink is worried and mystified over the sign will surely hang out. receipt of a telegram from a son-in-law residing in Washington, D. C., stating that Mrs. Fink and her daughter wore had some of his letters with her and lance as possible. that from this source some information was sent to Washington. Mrs. Fink and her caughter reside with the husband and father, E. M. Fink.

### THE IDLER.

55-57 Public Severe.

Lottic Blair Parker was correct in her judgment when she wrote that women could come mighty near reaching the heart with dramas written by them. It was conclusively proven at the opera house last night, when great big, strong men boohooed and made frequent use of their handkerchiefs, not only to wipe away tears but to suppress merriment. The play produced was her "Under Southern Skies," and it was the strongest one of a season that has seen many good Great anxiety is felt at the home of lones presented. The cast in its enson's bright star in his famous ex- the fracture of the skull which kept Mrs. Fink and her daughter were travagenzas—in the role of "Anner

Should "Under Southern Skies. Ind., where they visited until last that true depiction of southern life in Monday. They are believed to have dress and in its English as it is spokbeen on the ill-fated train and although en south of Mason and Dixon's line their names have not appeared in any ever come this way again under the and was struck by a train. of the lists of killed or injured, Mr. Brady management, the "S. O. R."

A flash light photograph of the members of the business men's class "probably" in the wreck. Mr. Fink of the Y. M. C. A. is to be taken Mon. funeral will be held at McCartysville. has not learned how the information day afternoon, and a special request was received by the gentleman in is made by physical director Shep-Washington, but fours that Mrs. Fink and that there be as large an attend-

### CHILDREN'S COATS.

ARY SALE, YOU CAN BUY CHILD. REN'S GOATS FOR SIJE THAT SKATING AT MCCULLOUGH'S TO WERE 95 TO \$10 YESTERDAY. CARROLL & COONEY.

### FATALLY

Resulted Injuries of Edward Kemper.

Passed Away at the Hospital Last Evening.

Remains Were Sent to McCartysville This Meraing-Will Be Buried at Minster Sat-

urday Meraing.

Edward Kemper, the McCartysville man who was found in an unconscious condition along the C. H. & D. track near Cridersville early yesterday morning, died in the city hospital here about 4:30 o'clock yesterhim unconscious from the time be was found until death occurred. No further details of the accident have been and perhaps never will be ascertalced, it being supposed that the man was walking along the railroad track

The remains were taken to the Benpett morgue last evening, and were prepared for burial and sent to Anna Station this morning, leaving here on the C. H. & D. at 5:30 o'clock. The Saturday and the remains will be taken to Minster for burial.

DANCING AT THE ARMORY TO-

If you tire of buckwheat, try Mrs Austin's famous Pancake flour. Made TOMORROW AT OUR BIG JANU- from the great food cereals.

> Don't forgot, pissee. Mrs. Austin's paneake flour best of all. At grocers

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